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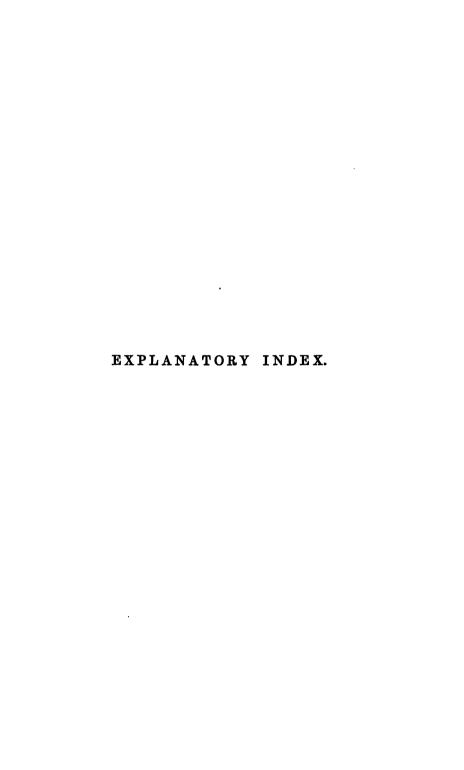
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## PREFACE.

My object in publishing this volume is exactly of the same nature as that which I proposed to myself in publishing the 'Map of Ancient Rome,' accompanied by an 'Explanatory Index.' I need say no more on this head.

I am obliged to confess that a great deal of the Map now published is conjectural: in many points I can only state what appears to stand upon the most probable evidence.

There are indeed certain remains and buildings of the city of Athens, about which there can be no doubt; and they are easily numbered. The Acropolis, with its temples; the Pnyx; the Areopagus; the Museum; the Temples of Theseus and Jupiter Olympius; the Temple of the Winds; the Choragic Monument of Lysicrates; the Monument of Philopappus; the Stadium; the Fountain Callirhoe; the Dionysiac Theatre; the Odeum of Regilla; the Gymnasium of Ptolemy; the Arch of Hadrian. But with regard to the position of the buildings in the neighbourhood of the Agora,—even the position of the Agora itself; the line which the city walls took; the position of the gates; the relative situations of the various districts of the city; together with the sites of many temples and other buildings;—all these are more or less doubtful.

It seems extraordinary that learned men should, till comparatively a very recent period, have cared so little about Athens, and have made no effort at all to gain a knowledge of the productions of the most perfect school of ancient art. I avail myself of Col. Leake's account of the labours of those persons, who preceded himself in this field. "Dr. Spon, a physician and " learned antiquary of Lyons, having opened a cor-"respondence with the Père Babin, a Jesuit at Athens, "received from him such a description of that place, as "Spon thought worthy of being published. This was "done at Lyons in 1674. In the same year, the Marquis "de Nointel, being appointed French ambassador at "Constantinople, made a short stay at Athens, in his "way; and left there Jacques Carrey, a young artist, "who was employed for six weeks in making drawings. "The originals of these designs, executed very rudely

"and inaccurately, partly in red chalk, partly in black "lead, are now in the National Library at Paris. Fac"similes of them have lately been presented to the "British Museum." Leake, Introd. p. xcv111. "In "the year 1675, Athens was visited by the Earl of "Winchelsea, English ambassador to the Porte; and "in the following year by Mr. Vernon, of whose travels "in Greece a short account was soon afterwards pub"lished in the 'Philosophical Transactions.' The same "year was distinguished in modern Athenian annals "by the visit of Dr. Spon and Sir George Wheler, "from whom, and from the drawings of Carrey, we "derive all our knowledge of the state of Athens, prior to the siege which forms the great era in the modern "history of Athenian antiquities." Ibid. c.

"It was not until 90 years after the publication of "the travels of Spon and Wheler, that an English "artist, studying at Rome, perceived that he was not "yet at the fountain head of true taste in architecture; "and determined to proceed to Athens, with the view of making such a stay there, as should enable him to bring away drawings of all the principal remains of antiquity. Stuart having engaged Revett, another architect, to join him, they proceeded to Athens in the "year 1751, where they remained during the greater

"part of three years. The first part of the result of their labours was published in 1761; soon after which a further knowledge of Greece, and of its remains of antiquity, was obtained by a private Society in London, which has done more for the improvement of the arts, by researches into the existing remains of the ancients, than any government in Europe.

"In the year 1764, the Society of Dilettanti engaged "Mr. Revett to return to Greece, in company with "Mr. Pars and Dr. Chandler; the former an able "draftsman; the latter well qualified to illustrate the " geography and antiquity of the country by his erudi-"tion. The result of this mission has put the public "in possession of several Athenian antiquities, left im-"perfectly examined by Stuart, together with archi-"tectural details of some of the most celebrated temples "of Asiatic Greece, a volume of Greek inscriptions by "Dr. Chandler, and two volumes of Travels in Asia "Minor and Greece, by the same person." Ibid. cirr. "The researches of Stuart and Chandler upon the "Topography of Athens have cleared up much that had "been left obscure and faulty by Spon and Wheler, "and in some instances Chandler's superior learning "enabled him to correct the erroneous impressions of "Stuart; but others he has left uncorrected, and he has "added many errors and negligences of his own, as well in the application of ancient evidence, as in the actual state of the ruined buildings." Ibid. cv.

In the year 1821, Colonel Leake published his book "On the Topography of Athens." Previous writers had endeavoured to identify the existing remains of ancient buildings; and their object was ultimately achieved. But, so great was the popular ignorance on the subject, that it cost years of laborious research to rectify multiplied errors, and to establish the truth.

Col. Leake's book commenced a new era in Athenian topography. He attempted, by the aid of ancient literature, and philosophical induction from admitted facts, to give the world a Map of Ancient Athens. He resided in the place a considerable time, and took care to advance no theory which was not corroborated by the physical features of the ground. His book is not free from errors; but they are insignificant, compared with the vast amount of light which he threw upon his subject, and the immense service which he has performed in this most interesting field of learned enquiry. His book gained considerable reputation amongst German scholars, and has been translated into the German language.

In the years 1832 and 1833, Dr. Christopher Wordsworth made a tour in various parts of Greece; the result of this was a volume which appeared in 1836, under the title of 'Athens and Attica.' Much of this volume is taken up with the topography of Ancient Athens. Dr. Wordsworth brought to his study a profound knowledge, and an enthusiastic admiration, of ancient literature; and these advantages, aided by admirable judgment and critical skill, enabled him to improve greatly on the labours of Col. Leake.

I have placed the important districts of Melite, Colyttus, and Cœle; the Agora and its buildings; together with the Dipylum, according to Dr. Wordsworth's plan. In attempting to determine the position of ancient buildings or districts, of which no remains are left, it is not sufficient to find isolated authority for this or that particular edifice or place; the great thing is, to form one consistent whole: and it is in this respect, that Dr. Wordsworth's labours appear to me to be so successful. The whole of his plan seems to hang together by necessary concatenation.

In the 'Life and Epistles of St. Paul,' by the Revd. Messrs. Howson and Conybeare, and which is now in course of publication, there is a very valuable chapter on Athens, Chap. X. Vol. II. p. 369. I feel particularly

obliged to Mr. Howson, for his kindness in permitting me to consult this Chapter, whilst it was passing through the press.

In the year 1841, M. Forchhammer published a Volume 'On the Topography of Athens,' at Kiel.\* This author does not pretend to give a complete topography of Athens, but rather to correct the errors of previous writers, and to throw increased light on points which had been but imperfectly examined. He is a man of great learning and acuteness, and his book has made most important additions to our knowledge of the ancient city.

Like Col. Leake and Dr. Wordsworth, M. Forchhammer, as he himself states, "paid repeated and protracted "visits to Athens." A correction of the errors into which Col. Leake fell, appears to be M. Forchhammer's principal object. He never quotes Dr. Wordsworth's book; and he appears to be ignorant of its existence. This ignorance is greatly to be regretted. Had he been acquainted with Dr. Wordsworth's arguments in favour

<sup>\*&</sup>quot; Topographie von Athen, von B. B. Forchhammer. Mit einen Plan ber alten Stabt. Riel. 1841."

There is a Map of Athens in Kiepert's "Torographich-Sistorichen" Atlas von Sellas, und dem Sellenichen Colonien." Berlin, 1842; and in Sprüner's "Atlas Antiquus," Gotha, 1850. Both these authors adopt Forchhammer's plan. K. O. Muller published two dissertations, "De "Munimentis Athenarum," Gottingen, 1836. All these may be consulted with advantage by the student.

of the position he has assigned to the Agora, the Dipylum, Melite, Colyttus, and Cœle, I cannot help thinking it probable that he would have agreed with him.

M. Forchhammer makes the district called Melite occupy the hills Museum, Pnyx, and that to the north of the Pnyx, which was called in later times the Hill of the Nymphs. He places Colyttus in the western declivity, between the Museum and the Pnyx; and Cœle to the south of the Museum. All these positions seem to be undoubtedly wrong; and the weight which M. Forchhammer's authority will carry with it in the judgment of learned men may, it is to be feared, produce considerable confusion and perplexity on the subject. The position assigned by him to Cœle, in particular, seems to be totally untenable. He places it, as we have seen, at the south-western corner of Now Herodotus tells us, vi. 103, that Cimon was buried outside Cœle. ` τέθαπται δὲ Κίμων πρὸ τοῦ άστεος, πέρην της δια Κοίλης καλεομένης όδου. The expression, πρὸ τοῦ ἄστεος, cannot mean nothing but 'outside the city;' as, ἄνασσ' "Ογκα πρὸ πόλεως. Æsch. Sept. c. Theb. 164. ἱερεὺς τοῦ Διὸς τοῦ ὄντος πρὸ τῆς πόλεως. Act. Apost. ch. xiv. v. 13. Forchhammer marks a spot, outside Cœle, as Cimon's monument (Rimonische Gräber.) But this position is inconsistent with the statement of Herodotus: for the ground outside Cœle, according to Forchhammer's Map, is enclosed between the two long walls; and other tombs must have been there. Marcellinus, in his Life of Thucydides, ch. ix. says-" πρὸς ταῖς Μελιτίσι πύλαις καλου-" μέναις έστιν εν Κοίλη τὰ καλούμενα Κιμώνια μνήματα. " ένθα δείκνυται 'Ηροδότου καὶ Θουκυδίδου τάφος." Ι am not aware of any authority for supposing that there were tombs within the long walls. It is true, Pausanias says, there were tombs "on the road" from the Peiræus to Athens, I. 11. 2,—" ἀνιόντων δὲ ἐκ Πειραιῶς ἐρείπια " τῶν τειχῶν ἐστιν ἃ Κόνων ὕστερον τῆς πρὸς Κνίδον " ναυμαχίας ἀνέστησε \* \* \* εἰσὶ δὲ τάφοι κατὰ τὴν " όδον γνωριμώτατοι, Μενάνδρου τοῦ Διοπείθους, καλ " μνήμα Εὐριπίδου κενόν." I cannot think that the dead would have been buried inside the walls: more especially as this space was inhabited. That this was the fact, appears certainly from Xenophon, Hellen. II. 11. 3, who, in describing the consternation which the news of the battle of Ægospotami occasioned at Athens, 8278,-" έν δὲ ταῖς 'Αθήναις, τῆς Παράλου ἀφικομένης " νυκτός, ελέγετο ή ξυμφορά, και ή οίμωγη εκ τοῦ Πει-" ραιώς διὰ τῶν μακρῶν τειγῶν ἐς ἄστυ διῆκεν, ὁ ἔτερος " τῷ ἐτέρφ παραγγέλλων." And Thucydides certainly

implies that there were houses between the walls; for, speaking of the crowds who flocked into Athens at the beginning of the Peloponnesian War, he says,—"οὐ γὰρ "ἐχώρησε ξυνελθόντας αὐτοὺς ἡ πόλις, ἀλλ' ὕστερον δὴ "τά τε μακρὰ τείχη ικησαν κατανειμάμενοι καὶ τοῦ "Πειραιῶς τὰ πολλά." 11. 17. Andocides, de Myster. p. 22. Reiske, speaks thus of three garrisons at Athens—"οἱ ἐν ἄστει οἰκοῦντες, οἱ ἐν μακρῷ τείχει, καὶ οἱ ἐν Πειραιεῖ." Greek sentiment would have been totally outraged, had the dead been buried in the midst of a living population.

Pausanias also tells us, that the men who won the victory of the Eurymedon were buried in the outer Cerameicus, on the road to the Academy:—" κεῖνται δὲ "καὶ οἱ σὺν Κίμωνι τὸ μέγα ἔργον ἐπ' Εὐρυμέδοντι πεζῆ "καὶ ναυσὶν αὐθημερὸν κρατήσαντες." I. xxix. 14. Now we may fairly conclude that Cimon was buried in the same place with his brave warriors: and this perhaps may enable us to account for the expression in Marcellinus, τὰ Κιμώνια μνήματα, in the plural; for had Cimon been buried alone, surely he would have said τὸ Κιμώνιον μνῆμα. For these reasons, I think M. Forchhammer has certainly placed Cœle wrong.

I have placed the Agora, with its buildings, in the valley between the Pnyx, the Areopagus, and the western

end of the Acropolis. M. Forchhammer has placed it considerably more to the south, between the Museum and the Acropolis. He is convinced that Pausanias, in describing his first route through the city, entered by the Peiraic gate, which he correctly places between the Museum and the Pnyx. Pausanias merely says,—" єїσ-" ελθόντων δε είς την πόλιν, κ.τ.λ." Ι. 11. 4. He never mentions by what gate he enters; in fact, I think, he never mentions any gate at all, except the Melitan, which he points out, because it was close to the tomb of Thucydides—" ψήφισμα γὰρ ἐνίκησεν Οἰνόβιος κατ-" ελθείν εἰς 'Αθήνας Θουκυδίδην' καί οἱ δολοφονηθέντι, " ώς κατήει, μνημα έστιν οὐ πόρρω πυλών Μελιτίδων." I. XXIII. 11. Now it is certainly dangerous to build up a theory upon the presumption, that because Pausanias came from the Peiræus, he therefore started from the Peiraic gate, in his description of Athens.\* On entering the city, he says that two colonnades reached from the gate (whatever gate it was,) to the Cerameicus; by which he means the Agora. He describes these colonnades as splendidly ornamented with statues +—" στοαλ δέ είσων

<sup>\*</sup> Pausanias appears to have made notes, when he was at Athens; but to have written his book at home. This may partly account for his omissions, and occasional irregularity of plan. But Forchhammer professes to see an exact and perfect plan observed in the description which he has given of Athens.

<sup>†</sup> Forchhammer says of these στοαί—" These colonnades in the street, from the gate to the Cerameicus, must be imagined to have been like

"ἀπὸ τῶν πυλῶν ἐς τὸν Κεραμεικόν, καὶ εἰκόνες πρὸ "αὐτῶν χαλκαῖ καὶ γυναικῶν καὶ ἀνδρῶν ὅσοις τι ὑπῆρ-"χε, καὶ ὧν τις λόγος ἐς δόξαν." Ι. 11. 4. Whatever the gate was, therefore, the entrance it gave into the city was magnificent. The street led through a line of statues of the great heroes and heroines of Athens. Now, I cannot think it at all probable that the Peiraic gate, which led to nothing but the passage between two fortified walls, and must have been a gate of traffic, thronged by bales of merchandize and merchants, oftentimes the scene of that

ἀκόλαστος ὅχλος ναυτική τ' ἀναρχία κρείσσων πυρός, Ευτ. Ηεс. 602,

which an Athenian appreciated so justly,—I say, I cannot think that the vicinity of such a gate would have been decorated with any artistical splendour.

The Peiraic gate must have suggested thoughts of every day, vulgar, plebeian bustle; of the noise and business of trade, and lucre: it could have suggested nothing grand, and abstract, and ideal,—nothing to please and captivate the Athenian imagination. The gate which led to the Agora and Acropolis, through

<sup>&</sup>quot;the colonnades in the large street at Turin, or like such as in the streets of Bologna or Modena afford protection against the sun and rain. They form below the fore-part of the houses, the upper stories of which partly rest on the colonnade, from which one enters the doors of dwellings and sanctuaries." p. 33.

a vista of statues of the nation's heroes and heroines. was, no doubt, the same gate by which their great national and religious exhibitions, the Eleusinian and Panathenaic processions, passed in solemn and magnificent pomp. It was the gate, no doubt, that led to Eleusis, and to the Isthmus; and was the gate by which multitudes of strangers from Greece would enter, who thronged the city at the times of her Dionysiac festivals; or crowded to hear Pericles deliver a funeral oration over the ashes of those who had died bravely fighting for their country; or to listen to the wisdom of Socrates: or to gaze in admiration at the immortal works of Phidias and Ictinus. To suppose that such thoughts as these were not entertained, and such emotions not intensely felt, by ancient Greeks, would be altogether to fail in an appreciation of their imaginative character.

Pausanias says, that, on his arrival at the Cerameicus, the first object "on his right" was the στοὰ βασίλειος. "πρώτη δὲ ἐστὶν ἐν δεξιᾳ καλουμένη στοὰ βασίλειος, "ἔνθα καθίζει βασιλεὺς ἐνιαυσίαν ἄρχων ἀρχὴν καλου- "μένην βασιλείαν." Ι. 111. 1. M. Forchhammer, in conformity with his opinion that Pausanias entered by the Peiraic gate, places the στοὰ βασίλειος considerably to the south of the Pnyx, and is of course compelled to

bring the whole Agora materially lower than it is placed in my Map.

With regard to the line of city walls, I have followed M. Forchhammer. Both Col. Leake and Dr. Wordsworth make the walls pass over the summit of the hills Museum and Pnyx, on the south-west; and make them run between the river Ilissus and the temple of Jupiter Olympius, on the south-east.

There are, it is true, some remains of the foundations of walls to be found on the Museum and the Pnyx; but M. Forchhammer, who has examined these foundations. declares that "they consist of stones regularly cut, and " of the same description, a kind of conglomerate plen-"tifully found in Attica, and frequently used for "building purposes. These stones are also put together "in a perfectly regular way." p. 12. These circumstances sufficiently prove that these cannot be the foundations of the walls built by Themistocles; for we learn from Thucvdides that they were built in a hurry. and without order; and he particularly specifies the foundations as having been most irregular, and composed of all sorts of stone:- "τούτφ τῷ τρόπφ οἱ 'Αθηναῖοι "την πόλιν ετείχισαν εν ολίγω χρόνω, και δήλη ή " οἰκοδομία ἔτι καὶ νῦν ἐστὶν ὅτι κατὰ σπουδὴν ἐγένετο. " οί γὰρ θεμέλιοι παντοίων λίθων ὑπόκεινται καὶ οὐ

" ξυνειργασμένων έστιν ή, άλλ' ώς έκαστοί ποτε προσ-" έφερον, πολλαί τε στήλαι από των σημάτων καὶ " λίθοι εἰργασμένοι ἐγκατελέγησαν. μείζων γὰρ ὁ περί-" βολος πανταχή έξήγθη της πόλεως, καλ διὰ τοῦτο " πάντα δμοίως κινοῦντες ηπείνοντο." 1.03. Thucvdides tells us, in this passage, that "the circumference of the "wall was increased;" but if it passed over the Museum and the Pnyx, running, as it must have done, on this supposition, close to the place of popular assembly, it is not credible that the circumference on this, the most important, because the most vulnerable, side of the city, and the most liable to attack, could ever have been less. Besides all this, Pausanias distinctly says, that the hill Museum was "formerly enclosed within "walls." (In his days, the wall on that side had been destroyed.) " ἔστι δὲ ἐντὸς τοῦ περιβόλου ἀρχαίου τὸ "Μουσείον, ἀπ' ἀντικρύ της ἀκροπόλεως λόφος." Ι. xxv. It is incredible that Themistocles should have run the wall close to the popular assembly; and scarcely credible that he should have put the western part of the Pnvx outside the walls.

That the Pnyx was inhabited, is proved beyond dispute by a passage, produced by M. Forchhammer, out of the speech of Æschines against Timarchus. The passage is a very obscure one; but there can be no

doubt about this, that it speaks of the Pnyx, as an inhabited place:—" ψήφισμα δ οὖτος εἰρήκει περὶ τῶν " οἰκησέων τῶν ἐν τῷ Πνυκί· \* \* \* καὶ περὶ τῆς ἐρημίας " ταύτης καὶ τοῦ τόπου τοῦ ἐν τῆ Πνυκί· μὴ θαυμάσητε, " ὦ ' Αθηναῖοι, ἔφη, εἰ Τίμαρχος ἐμπειροτέρως ἔχει τῆς " βουλῆς τῆς ἐξ ' Αρείου πάγου· \* \* \* ὡς δ' ἐπεμνήσθη " τῶν οἰκοπέδων καὶ τῶν λάκκων οὐδ' ἀναλαβεῖν αὐτοὺς " ἐδυνήθητε." Æsch. in Timarch. xii. 1. Steph.

That the walls on the south east of the city did not run between the temple of Jupiter Olympius and the Ilissus, is positively proved by Pausanias; for, had the walls run in this way, the temple of 'Αφροδίτη ἐν Κήποις must have been in a suburb, outside the walls: but Pausanias says it was in the city:- "έστι δὲ περίβολος " ἐν τη πόλει της καλουμένης ἐν κήποις Αφροδίτης οὐ " πόρρω." Ι. xxvII. 4. Pliny, it is true, (Nat. Hist. xxxvi. 5) calls this temple "extra muros;" but his authority is not to be set against that of Pausanias:-"Alcamenem Atheniensem (quod certum est) docuit "(Phidias) imprimis nobilem, cujus sunt opera Athe-" nis complura in ædibus sacris, præclaraque Venus "extra muros, quæ appellatur 'Αφροδίτη ἐν Κήποις. "Huic summam manum ipse Phidias imposuisse dici-Had the walls run according to Col. Leake's plan, Callirhoe, the only fountain which the Athenians

had, would have been outside the walls; a very unlikely thing. Dr. Wordsworth anticipates the objection which obviously lies against such an injudicious arrangement, by observing,—"Callirhoe appears to have been on the "outer side of the city-wall. This position is less sur-"prising, when we remember the provisions of the "Amphictyonic oath, which obliged all the contracting "parties never to prohibit a confederate city from the "use of its fountains either in peace or war." Ch. xx1. p. 161. But this security could not be trusted; for, in the first place, the enemy might possibly not be a member of the Amphictyonic confederacy; and even if he was, yet if he was strong enough to besiege Athens, he was not likely to be checked by an over-scrupulous regard for an Amphictyonic oath.

Col. Leake's plan also leaves the Stadium outside the walls. It is improbable of itself that such should have been the fact; and it becomes doubly improbable, when we remember that in all other Greek towns, where the remains of a Stadium have been discovered, they are invariably within the walls.

For these reasons, I have adopted M. Forchhammer's plan of the walls. According to him, those walls, whose foundations are yet to be traced on the Pnyx and Museum, were built in the age of Valerian.

I cannot resist the temptation I feel to reprint the concluding remarks which M. Forchhammer has made on Col. Leake. "I have often (he says) contradicted "Müller in this work, and still more often the excellent "Col. Leake. With him this needs no excuse. I have "not done, as often happens in Germany, where there " are young and old men of science, who scruple not to "ridicule scientific works, which they do not take the "trouble to read or understand; nay, the subject of "which is entirely strange to them. Lively party zeal. "even in the cause of science, may be respectable; but "it is impossible for disgraceful behaviour, which would "be unpardonable even in boys, ever to be so. I do "not write this, in order to protect myself for the "future: but he who has been much abroad, and has "thereby become all the fonder of his own country, " has a keener sense of the disgrace and scorn, frequently "just, which is drawn upon us, in the judgment of "foreigners, by these petty critics. May every true "German raise his voice and influence against this, "were it but to guard against violations of decency! "Let it be said to those who delight in quarrelling, that "however much I may have been compelled to refute "the opinions of Col. Leake, at any rate I am speaking " of matters with which I am acquainted; that there is

"not one of his, or my own readers, who values as much "as I do his extraordinary services with respect to the "topography of Greece, and Asia Minor; and more "particularly that of Athens. And if this volume of "mine contains any emendations and opinions, calculated to produce renewed and closer investigation, let "him be thanked for it, who even by his errors led to "the right track, and but for whose work this topography of Athens would lack its principal merit, if "indeed it has any to boast of." p. 99. These generous and noble sentiments of M. Forchhammer do equal honour to his understanding and his heart.

The palace of the present king of Greece stands to the north-east of the Acropolis, near the old Diomean gate; and the modern University is still further to the north, on the outside of the place where the old Acharnian gate stood. The modern city occupies principally the northern and eastern parts of the old. It is to be hoped that the western side—the classic and venerable ground which contained the Areopagus, the Pnyx, the Agora, the Courts of Legislature and of Law of the ancient and famous Athenian people—will never be occupied by modern buildings. Excavation may settle much, that has hitherto baffled the ingenuity of the learned; and the future traveller may possibly be enabled

to walk about the disinterred Agora of Athens, with no more doubt respecting the position of the buildings which throughd it, than he now entertains respecting the pillar of Phocas in the Forum of Rome.

I cannot close this Preface without making my public acknowledgment of gratitude to M. Marx, teacher of German, London, for very great services rendered to me. His aid was as important as it was generous and disinterested.

I hope I shall not stand in need of apology, in the judgment of any scholar, for adopting the Greek character in a Map, intended only for those who understand the Greek language. To have used the Latin, would have produced an unnecessary disagreement between the map, and the text of the books quoted. Besides this, there are many Greek words, such as Φερρεφάττιον—Βουλευτήριον—'Αρχηγέτις—Πομπεῖον, &c., which are scarcely to be recognized under the disguise and disfigurement of a Latin dress. Surely, nothing but necessity can reconcile a Greek scholar to the use of such barbarous sounds and shapes.

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# EXPLANATORY INDEX.

# THE WALLS, GATES, AND SUBURBS OF ATHENS.

Thucydides, giving an account of the resources, and condition of Athens, at the commencement of the Peloponnesian war, has the following passage respecting the extent of the defences of the city—" τοῦ τε γὰρ " Φαληρικοῦ τείχους στάδιοι ήσαν πέντε καὶ τριάκοντα " πρὸς τὸν κύκλον τοῦ ἄστεος, καὶ αὐτοῦ τοῦ κύκλου τὸ " φυλασσόμενον τρεῖς καὶ τεσσαράκοντα. ἔστι δὲ αὐτοῦ " δ καὶ ἀφύλακτον ἦν, τὸ μεταξύ τοῦ τε μακροῦ καὶ τοῦ " Φαληρικού. τὰ δὲ μακρὰ τείχη πρὸς τὸν Πειραιᾶ " τεσσαράκοντα σταδίων, ων τὸ ἔξωθεν ἐτηρεῖτο. καὶ " τοῦ Πειραιώς ξὺν Μουνυχία έξήκοντα μεν σταδίων δ " ἄπας περίβολος, τὸ δ' ἐν φυλακή ἦν ημισυ τούτου." Lib. 11. 13. The Scholiast, speaking of the space in the city walls which was left unguarded, says, it was 17 stades in length-" τουτέστι στάδιοι δεκαεπτά ό γάρ " όλος κύκλος σταδίων ην έξάκοντα." The whole length of fortified wall, therefore, amounted to 195 stades,\* or exactly 22 English miles. The Peiræus was the first

<sup>\*</sup> The length of the common Greek stade was 202 yds. 9 in. English In the Appendix to Hussey's 'Ancient Weights and Measures,' §. 13, are some very valuable remarks on the varieties in the value of the Greek stade.

part enclosed by this vast line of wall.\* Col. Leake has given a minute description of its fortifications, (p.331-44.) Themistocles commenced them in the year of his archonship, A. C. 481. Ol. LXXIV. 4. " ἔπεισε δὲ καὶ τοῦ " Πειραιώς τὰ λοιπὰ ὁ Θεμιστοκλής οἰκοδομείν. ὑπ-" ηρκτο δ' αὐτοῦ πρότερον ἐπὶ της ἐκείνου ἀρχης ης " κατ' ενιαυτον 'Αθηναίοις ήρξε νομίζων τό τε γωρίον " καλὸν είναι, λιμένας έχον τρεῖς αὐτοφυεῖς, καὶ αὐτοὺς " ναυτικούς γεγενημένους μέγα προφέρειν ες τὸ κτήσασ-" θαι δύναμιν. της γὰρ δὴ θαλάσσης πρώτος ἐτόλμησεν " είπειν ώς ανθεκτέα έστι, και την αργην εύθυς Ευγκατ-" εσκεύαζε. καὶ ῷκοδόμησαν τῆ ἐκείνου γνώμη τὸ " πάχος τοῦ τείχους ὅπερ νῦν ἔτι δῆλόν ἐστι περί τὸν " Πειραιά. δύο γὰρ ἄμαξαι ἐναντίαι ἀλλήλαις τοὺς " λίθους ἐπῆγον. ἐντὸς δὲ οὕτε χάλιξ οὕτε πῆλος ἦν " άλλά ξυνωκοδομημένοι μέγαλοι λίθοι καλ έντομή έγ-" γώνιοι σιδήρω προς άλλήλους τὰ ἔξωθεν καὶ μολύβδω " δεδεμένοι. τὸ δὲ τψος ημισυ μάλιστα ἐτελέσθη οδ " διενοείτο." Thucyd. 1. 93.

The walls of the city, properly so called,  $\tau \delta$  Aotu, were the next part of the work to be executed. The story of the jealousy felt by Lacedæmon, and the skilful diplomacy of Themistocles, on the occasion, is well known: it is given in detail by Thucydides, 1. 90—92. The walls retained visible proofs of the haste with which they had been erected. Thucydides, in a passage already quoted in the Preface, (lib. 1. 93) has told us so. Of this vast circumference of fortification, not a vestige has been discovered by modern research. The walls were

The walls of Syracuse were 180 stadia in circumference: owing to their more circular shape, they must have enclosed a much larger area than the walls of Athens.

built A. C. 478: what their height was, is not known; but Appian says, that the Peiraic wall was 60 feet high, and probably the city walls were of the same height. "ἐπὶ τὸν Πειραιᾶ κατῆλθε, (sc. Sylla) κατακεκλεισ-" μένων ἐς τὰ τείχη τῶν πολεμίων. ὕψος δ' ἦν τὰ " τείχη πηχέων τεσσαράκοντα μάλιστα, καὶ εἴργαστο " ἐκ λίθου μεγάλου τε καὶ τετραγώνου." Appian. Bell. Mithrid. Ch. 30

The long walls were built 21 years later, shortly before the battle of Tanagra. Thucydides says (lib. 1.93) " ήρξαντο δὲ κατὰ τοὺς γρόνους τούτους (i.e. A.C. 457. " Ol. LXXX. 4.) καὶ τὰ μακρὰ τείχη ἐς θάλασσαν Αθηναῖοι " οἰκοδομεῖν, τό τε Φαληρόνδε καὶ τὸ ἐς Πειραιά i.e. they began to build the long walls, I mean (Te) that which runs to Phalerum, and that which runs to Peiræus. Subsequently, a third long wall was erected, between these two. Æschines says, that this was built A. C.445. Ol. LXXXV. 3, at the time of the general pacification of Greece, by the 30 years truce—"εἰρήνην ἔτη τριάκοντα " ἐγάγομεν, ἢ τὸν δῆμον ὕψηλον ἦρε. καὶ τὸ μακρὸν " τείχος τὸ νότιον ἐτειχίσθη." De Falsa Legat. 302. Pericles was minister at the time, and Socrates is represented, in Plato, as stating that he was present when the debate on the subject took place. " Περικλεούς δέ " καλ αὐτὸς (εc. Socrates) ήκουον ὅτε συνεβούλευεν ήμεν " περὶ τοῦ διὰ μέσου τείχους." Gorg. 455. e. On which passage the Scholiast says, "διὰ μέσου τείχους, λέγει, δ " καὶ ἄχρι νῦν ἐστιν ἐν Ἑλλάδι. ἐν τῆ Μουνυχία γὰρ " ἐποίησε καὶ τὸ μέσον τεῖχος, τὸ μὲν βάλλον ἐπὶ τὸν " Πειραιᾶ, τὸ δὲ ἐπὶ Φάληρα, (i. e. the two previously

existing walls ran respectively to Peiræus, and Phalerum) ζν', εἰ τὸ εν καταβληθη, τὸ ἄλλο ὑπηρετοίη ἄγρι "πολλού." And Harpocration says, " τριών δυτων τει-" γων εν τη 'Αττική, ώς και 'Αριστοφάνης φησίν εν " Τριφάλητι, τοῦ τε Βορείου καὶ τοῦ Νοτίου καὶ τοῦ " Φαληρικού, διὰ μέσου τούτων έλέγετο τὸ Νότιον, οδ " μνημονεύει καὶ Πλάτων ἐν Γοργία." In v. 'διὰ μέσου τείγος.' These several passages combined prove that there were three walls, of which the central one was called the southern, and was built twelve years after the two others. (Vid. Wordsworth, Ch. 24. Arnold's note on Thucydides, 11. 12. Goeller's Argumentum lib. 2. Thucyd.)

It is true, the central wall was not absolutely the most southern; but it was southern, in its relation to the outer Peiraic wall, which was commonly called the northern. " Λεόντιος ὁ 'Αγλαίωνος ἀνιων ἐκ Πειραιως " ύπὸ τὸ βύρειον τεῖχος ἐκτός, αἰσθανόμενος νεκρούς " παρὰ τῷ δημείφ κειμένους." Plat. Rep. lib. 17. 439. e. These two walls were called the 'legs of the Peiræus.' " Κηφισσός έκ Τρινεμιών τὰς ἀρχὰς ἔχων ρέων δὲ διὰ " τοῦ πεδίου, ἐφ' οῦ καὶ ἡ γέφυρα καὶ οἱ γεφυρισμοί " διά και των σκελων, των άπο του άστεος είς τον " Πειραιά καθηκόντων, ἐκδίδωσιν είς τὸ Φαληρικὸν " γειμαρρώδης το πλέον, θέρους δε μειούται τελέως." Strabo, 1x. 581. Oxon. " βουλόμενος τούς φύλακας τοῦ " ἄστεος καὶ τοῦ Πειραίεως καὶ τῶν Σκελῶν τῶν ἄχρι θά-" λασσαν άγρύπνους περί την φυλακήν κατασκευάσαι." Polyan. 1. 40. Livy (xxx1. 26) and Propertius (III. xx1. 24) call them the 'arms.' Neither term could be applied with propriety to more than two walls. Vestiges of the outer and central walls still remain, which prove them to have run parallel to each other, at a distance of 550 feet. As they approached the city, they must have separated to a great width. The outer wall formed the most important of the defences; for Athens feared attack principally on that side.

"The northern long wall, which seems to have been "the only one originally in contemplation, was analogous "to a line of entrenchments, of four miles in length, "stretching from one large fortified town to another, for " the maintenance of communication between the two.as " well as for the protection of the whole province which "lav behind them. According to the ancient art of war, "the northern long wall, flanked by towers at intervals, " performed this service effectually, as it left to an army "entering the plain of Athens, from the Isthmus of "Corinth, no passage into the country to the southward "and eastward of Athens, except through the difficult "pass between the city and Mount Hymettus, or (which "would have been still more hazardous, with such a city "as Athens in the rear of the invader) by making the "circuit of Mount Hymettus. We find accordingly, that "the Lacedæmonians never attempted either of these "movements, and that this system of fortification was "perfectly successful, as long as Munychia was safe, " and the line of the long walls unbroken." Leake, p. 350. The northern wall must have run up a considerable way on the western side of the city; for the space between its point of junction with the city walls, and the point where the Phaleric wall was united to them, was, as we have already seen, no less than 17 stades,—almost one third of the whole circumference of the city walls. It is plain, from the expression used by Thucydides, "the space between the long wall and the "Phaleric," that this latter was not called one of the long walls, in the time of the Peloponnesian war; though it is probable that it was so called, before the erection of the second Peiraic, or central, wall. All three were demolished by Lysander. Conon, who rebuilt the Peiraic walls, appears not to have restored the Phaleric; nor was it ever again raised. No vestige of it remains; the other two were finally destroyed by Sylla.

The city walls described an irregular circle of 60 stades: no vestiges of them remain on the east or the south. Col. Leake thinks that the total disappearance of the walls on these sides may be accounted for by the fact that they were built of brick. He quotes Vitruvius on this point, who says—"Nonnullis civitatibus et publica" opera et privatas domos etiam regias a latere structas "licet videre; et primum Athenis murum, qui spectat "ad Hymettum montem et Pentelensem." lib. II. vIII.9. Pliny also says,—"Græci, præterquam ubi a silice fieri "poterat structura, parietes lateritios prætulere. Sunt "enim æterni, si ad perpendiculum fiant. De eo et "publica opera, et regias domos struxere; murum "Athenis, qui ad montem Hymettum spectat." N. H. XXXV. xIV. 49.

The course of the walls, as laid down in the map, is as follows:—Starting from the northern extremity of

the city, at the Acharnian gate, they ran eastward towards Mount Lycabettus.\* The first gate in this direction was the Diomean, and then came the gate of Diochares: between these two was the suburb of Cynosarges. The walls then curved round towards the south. The famous suburb called Lyceum, lay between the gate of Diochares, and the river Ilissus. The walls then crossed the river, passing to the south of the Stadium, and reached the Itonian gate, the southernmost point of the city: they then turned to the Hill Museum, passed to the west of this, and, taking a northern direction, came to the Peiraic gate. The walls continued northward, and came successively to the gates Dipylum, Hippades, and Melitenses. On the outside of these three gates was the beautiful suburb Cerameicus. From the Melitan gate they ran to the Acharnian.

These are all the gates which can be assigned, on satisfactory authority, to particular places. There is another, the Herizan, for which no spot has yet been determined; and probably there were several more on the whole circuit of walls; but their position and names are alike unknown.

The most important entrance to the city of Athens was at the Dipylum. This gate had the name also of the "Thriasian," and "Sacred," because it led to Eleu-

<sup>\*</sup> Col. Leake, in his first edition, gives to Lycabettus the name of Anchesmus; and gives the name Lycabettus to the hill on the north of the Areopagus, which was called in later ages the "Hill of the Nymphs." He has corrected the error in his second edition. Anchesmus was the later, not the classical, name of Lycabettus. Vid. Wordsworth, Ch. VIII.

sis and the Thriasian plain. These two places are constantly spoken of together by Thucydides-" ετεμνον " πρώτον μεν 'Ελευσίνα και το Θριάσιον πέδον." 11.19; and he repeats the same expression several times in the following chapters. The Eleusinian and Thriasian gate were one and the same, and this gate was commonly called Dipylum. Plutarch, in his life of Pericles, says-" τὰς Θριασιούς πύλας αξ νθν Διπύλον ὀνομάζονται." ch. 30. The same writer, in his life of Sylla, calls the Inner Cerameicus, "the Cerameicus within the Dipulum" -τον εντός του Διπύλου Κεραμεικόν. Ch. 14. sacred processions to Eleusis of course passed out through this gate: the procession of the Panathenaic festival always formed in the outer Cerameicus, and passed into the city by the same road: this may be seen from the story of the assassination of Hipparchus, as given by Thucydides, in his 6th Book-" kal ws " ἐπῆλθεν ἡ ἑορτή, Ἱππίας μὲν ἔξω ἐν τῷ Κεραμεικῷ " καλουμένω μετά των δορυφόρων διεκόσμει, ώς έκαστα " έχρην της πομπης προιέναι." ch. 57; and immediately after he adds that Harmodius and Aristogeiton " Loun-"σαν είσω τῶν πυλῶν, καὶ περιέτυχον τῷ Ἱππάρχω παρὰ "τὸ Λεωκόριον καλούμενον." This gate we have just seen was called Dipylum, and it was certainly the sacred gate through which the great national religious processions passed. "Είς 'Ελευσίνα όδεύουσιν άπὸ τοῦ Κεραμεικοῦ " προπέμποντες τὸν Διόνυσον." Schol, ad Aristoph. Ran. " Γερά όδός έστιν ην οί μύσται πορεύονται απ' " ἄστεος ες 'Ελευσίνα." Harpocrat. in v. 'ίερὰ ὁδός.' This gate, standing, as it did, at the end of the hollow

valley between the Areopagus and Pnyx, is said by Livy to lie "in the mouth" of the city. (Liv. xxx1. 24.) The outer Cerameicus was used as a cemetery, particularly for those who had been killed in battle. The whole procedure of their public interment is described by Thucydides, lib. 11. ch. 34, who says, amongst other things,—" τιθέασιν οὖν ἐς τὸ δημόσιον σῆμα, ὅ ἐστιν " ἐπὶ τοῦ καλλίστου προαστείου τῆς πόλεως, καὶ ἀεὶ ἐν " αὐτῷ θάπτουσι τοὺς ἐκ τῶν πολέμων, πλήν γε τοὺς " ἐν Μαραθῶνι' ἐκείνων δὲ διαπρεπῆ τὴν ἀρετὴν κρίναν-" τες αὐτοῦ καὶ τὸν τάφον ἐποίησαν. Pausanias, lib. 1. ch. 29, gives a list of the principal tombs in the Cerameicus. Aristophanes, in his play of the Birds, has this passage—

δ Κεραμεικός δέξεται νώ. δημόσια γὰρ ἵνα ταφῶμεν φήσομεν πρὸς τοὺς στρατηγοὺς μαχομένω τοῖς πολεμίοισιν ἀποθανεῖν ἐν 'Ορνεαῖς.\* ν. 395.

At the end of this suburb was the famous Academy; and immediately to the north of the Academy stood Colonus, which the incomparable drama of Sophocles has immortalized.

Cicero opens the 5th Book of his treatise 'De Finibus Boni et Mali' with these words:—"Quum audissem "Antiochum, Brute, ut solebam, cum M. Pisone in eo "gymnasio quod Ptolemæum vocatur, unaque nobiscum

<sup>\*</sup> Κεραμεικόs is properly an adjective, Εγρος being understood, "the potter's field, or quarter." In like manner the Tuileries of Paris must have been a place for making tiles. Pausanias gives an absurd derivation of the word Κεραμεικός—τὸ δὲ χωρίον (says he) τὸ μὲν ὅνομα ἔχει ἀπὸ ਜρωος Κεράμου, Διονύσου τε εἶναι καὶ ᾿Αριάδνης καὶ τούτου λεγομένου. I. 3.

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" Q. Frater, et T. Pomponius, et L. Cicero frater noster cognatione patruelis, amore germanus, constituimus inter nos, ut ambulationem postmeridianam confice-remus in Academia, maxime quod is locus ab omni turba id temporis vacuus esset. Itaque ad tempus ad Pisonem omnes. Inde vario sermone sex illa a Dipylo stadia confecinus. Quum autem venissemus in Aca-demiæ non sine causa nobilitata spatia, solitudo erat ea quam volueramus." And a little after—" Me ipsum huc modo venientem convertebat ad sese Coloneus ille locus, cujus incola Sophocles ob oculos versabatur, quem scis quam admirer, quamque eo delecter." "'Ακαδημία λέγεται γυμνάσιον 'Αθήνησιν άπὸ 'Ακαδήμου ἀναθέντος καὶ τόπος λέγεται γὰρ " οὕτως ὁ Κεραμεικός." Hesych. in v. ''Ακαδημία.'

The 'Knights' Gate,' Ιππάδες πύλαι, probably stood to the north of the Dipylum. Plutarch quotes Heliodorus as his authority for saying that the orator Hyperides was buried near this gate—" τοὺς δὲ οἰκείους "τὰ ὀστὰ λαβόντας θάψαι τε ἄμα τοῦς γονεῦσι πρὸ τῶν "'Ιππάδων πυλῶν, ὡς φησὶν 'Ηλιόδωρος ἐν τῷ τρίτφ περὶ "μνημάτων." Decem Orat. Vit. 9. "Philostratus makes "mention of a place in the Cerameicus, called 'Ιππεῖς; "and it seems probable that the place derived this ap" pellation from some equestrian statues, which gave "name also to the neighbouring city gates." Leake, p. 373. "τὸ τῶν τεχνιτῶν βουλευτήριον, δ δὴ φκοδό-"μηται παρὰ τὰς τοῦ Κεραμεικοῦ πύλας οὐ πόρὸω τῶν "'Ιππέων." Philist. in Philagr. The burial place of so distinguished a family as that of Hyperides was

probably in the Cerameicus; and hence we are warranted in the conclusion that the 'Knight's Gate' led to this suburb. Hesychius merely says there was such a gate, without determining its position—"καὶ πύλαι "'Αθήνησιν Ίππάδες ἐκαλοῦντο." in υ. ὑππάδα.

The 'Melitan Gate' was so named from leading into that region of the city which was called Melite. Between Melite and the city, there was a space called 'the hollow,' κοίλη. Marcellinus, in his life of Thucydides, p. 17, says— " πρός ταις Μελιτίσι πύλαις καλουμέναις έστιν έν Κοίλη " τὰ καλούμενα Κιμώνια μνήματα, ἔνθα δείκνυται 'Ηρο-" δότου καὶ Θουκυδίδου τάφος." And in the Fragment added to this life, though probably written by some other person, we read—" ἔστι δὲ αὐτοῦ τάφος πλησίου " τῶν πυλῶν ἐν χωρίω τῆς 'Αττικῆς δ Κοίλη καλείται." Pausanias also says, that Thucydides was buried here—" καί οἱ (sc. Thucydidi) δολοφονηθέντι ώς κατήει " μνημά έστιν οὐ πόρρω πυλών Μελιτίδων." 1. 23. Herodotus says-" τέθαπται δὲ Κίμων πρὸ τοῦ ἄστεος. " πέρην της διά Κοίλης καλουμένης όδοῦ καταντίον δ' " αὐτοῦ αἱ ἴπποι τεθάφαται αὖται, αἱ τρεῖς Ὀλυμπιάδας " ἀνελόμεναι." VI. 103. Ælian gives further corroboration to this—" Μιλτιάδης δὲ τὰς ἔππους τὰς τρεῖς " 'Ολυμπιάδας ανελομένας έθαψεν εν Κεραμεικώ.' Hist. Anim. XII. 40. The Melitan gate, therefore, must have stood in the neighbourhood of the spot where it is placed on the map.

"The ancient demus of Acharnæ was situated at or "near the modern village of Menidhi. The gate which "led to it was called 'Acharnian,' and must have stood

"about the spot where the modern road to Menidhi "cuts the line of the ancient walls." Leake, p. 371. Hesychius testifies to the existence of the gate—" 'Αχ-" άρνη δημος της 'Αττικής. 'Αχαρνικαὶ πύλαι 'Αθήνη-" σιν.' in v. 'Αχάρνη.

The 'Diomean Gate' stood, of course, in the region of the city called Diomea. It led to the suburb Cynos-This was sacred to Hercules. Suidas gives the following account of the place, and its name—" Κυνόσ-" αργες τόπος τίς έστι παρ' Αθηναίοις, καὶ ίερον " 'Ηρακλέους, κατ' αἰτίαν τοιαύτην. Δίομος δ 'Αθηναίος " ἔθυεν ἐν τῆ ἑστία εἶτα κύων λευκὸς παρών ἥρπασε τὸ " ίερεῖον, καὶ ἀπελθών εἰς τινὰ τόπον ἀπέθετο. ὁ δὲ " περιδεής ήν. Εχρησε δε αὐτῷ ὁ θεὸς ὅτι εἰς ἐκεῖνον " τον τόπον ου το ιερείον απέθετο, Ήρακλέους βωμον " οφείλει ίδρύσασθαι. όθεν εκλήθη Κυνόσαργες." in voc. The story is corroborated by Pausanias, 1. 19, and Hesychius, in v. 'Κυνόσαργες.' Herodotus in two passages, v. 63. et vi. 116, speaks of a temple of Hercules standing in Cynosarges. This temple must have stood outside the Diomean gate; for Plutarch in his life of Themistocles, says, ch. 1. - " είε Κυνόσαργες - τοῦτο " δ' έστιν έξω πυλών γυμνάσιον 'Ηρακλέους;" and Diogenes Lacrtius says of Antisthenes—" διελέγετο δὲ ἐν

" τῷ Κυνοσάργει μικρὸν ἄπωθεν τῶν πυλῶν." Antisth.\*

<sup>\*</sup> Forchhammer (p. 95) says, that this sanctuary of Hercules Cynosarges adjoined the city walls, as the Heracleium did at Thebes, and formed part of the fortifications, as the Castrum Prætorium did at Rome. He thinks it probable that the Lyceium also abutted on the walls; and that this fact furnishes us with the reason why Pausanias in describing his route from the 'Gardens' to the Heracleium, mentions og ate. But the negative probability arising from the silence of Pausanias, who hardly ever mentions a gate at all, is not to be set in balance against the positive testimony of Plutarch and Laertius.

c.6. Aristophanes speaks of the worship of Hercules in this district—

## **ἐ**φρόντισα

δπόθ' Ἡράκλεια τὰν Διομείοις γίγνεται.

Ran. 651.

The region 'Diomea' was famous for a club of wits. "  $\pi\lambda\hat{\eta}\theta$ os δ'  $\hat{\eta}\nu$  ' $\Lambda\theta\hat{\eta}\nu\eta\sigma\iota$  τ $\hat{\eta}s$  σοφίας ταύτης.  $\hat{\epsilon}\nu$  γοῦν " τ $\hat{\varphi}$  Διομέων 'Ηρακλεί $\varphi$  συνελέγοντο,  $\hat{\epsilon}\xi\hat{\eta}$ κοντα ὄντες " τὸν ἀριθμόν." Athen. xiv. 3. The conceit and vanity of these wits provoked the anger of Aristophanes, who punished them by coining, and applying to them, the compound Διομειαλαζόνες. Acharn. 605.

The next gate of which we have any positive knowledge was that called the 'Gate of Diochares.' It led to the suburb Lyceium. Strabo says—" είσὶ μὲν οὖν αί " πηγαλ καθαρού καλ ποτίμου ύδατος, ώς φασιν, έκτὸς " τῶν Διοχάρους καλουμένων πυλών, πλησίον τοῦ Λυ-" κείου." lib. ix. p. 576. And again—" ἔστι δὲ τοιοῦτος " μάλιστα ὁ 'Ιλισσός εκ θατέρου μέρους τοῦ ἄστεος " ρέων είς την αὐτην παραλίαν, έκ τῶν ὑπερ τῆς "Αγρας " καὶ τοῦ Λυκείου μερών, καὶ τῆς πηγῆς ῆν ὕμνηκεν ἐν " Φαίδρω Πλάτων." Id. p. 581. The passage of Plato to which he refers is in the commencement of the Phædrus—" δεῦρ' ἐκτραπόμενοι κατὰ τὸν Ἰλισσὸν ἴω-" μεν. \* \* \* ή τε γὰρ πλάτανος αὕτη μάλ ἀμφιλαφής " τε καὶ ὑψηλή \* \* \* ή γε αὖ πηγή χαριεστάτη ὑπὸ " της πλατάνου ρεί μάλα ψυχρού ύδατος, ως γε τῷ ποδί " τεκμήρασθαι." Plut. Phædr. 229. a. 230. b. This fountain was called 'the fountain of Panops,' as we learn from the opening sentence of the Lysis—" ἐπορ-

" ευόμην μεν εξ 'Ακαδημίας εὐθὺ Λυκείον την έξω " τείχους ύπ' αὐτὸ τὸ τεῖχος ἐπειδὴ δ' ἐγενόμην κατὰ " τὴν πυλίδα, ἢ ἡ Πάνοπος κρήνη, ἐνταῦθα συνέτυχον " Ίπποθάλει." The route which the philosopher took is very easily traced. He walked, as he says, from the Academy, close to the city wall, northward to the Acharnian gate; he then turned round to the east, passed by the Diomean gate, through Cynosarges, and so arrived at the Lyceium. Both the fountain and plane-tree, by which he took his seat, are mentioned by Cicero. "Cur non imitamur, Crasse, Socratem illum, " qui est in Phædro Platonis? nam me hæc tua plata-" nus admonuit, quæ non minus ad opacandum hunc "locum patulis est diffusa ramis, quam illa cujus um-"bram secutus est Socrates; quæ mihi videtur non " tam ipsa aquila quæ describitur, quam Platonis ora-"tione crevisse." De Orat. 1. 7.

Hesychius says that Panops was an Attic demi-god: 
"Πάνοψ ήρως 'Αττικός ἔστι δὲ αὐτοῦ καὶ νέως καὶ 
"ἄγαλμα, καὶ κρήνη." in νος. This is the account 
which Pausanias gives of the Lyceium—" Λύκειον δὲ 
"ἀπὸ μὲν Λύκου τοῦ Πανδίονος ἔχει τὸ ὄνομα, 'Απόλ" λωνος δὲ ἰερὸν ἐξαρχῆς τε εὐθὺς καὶ καθ' ἡμᾶς ἐνομί"ζετο. Λύκός τε ὁ θεὸς ἐνταῦθα ἀνομάσθη πρῶτον."

1. 19. The whole was dedicated to Apollo: it was 
adorned by various buildings, fountains, and walks. It 
was the Campus Martius of Athens, where military 
exercises were performed, as well as a Gymnasium for 
the athlete. "It was also one of the most favourite 
"places of resort for philosophical study and conversa-

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"tion, and thus became the school of Aristotle, whose followers were called Peripatetics, from their custom of walking in the grove of the Lyceium." Leake, p. 144.

Aristophanes has the following passage—

καὶ γὰρ ἱκανὸν χρόνον ά-

-πολλύμεθα καὶ κατατε-

-τρίμμεθα πλανώμενοι

ές Λύκειον κάκ Λυκείου σύν δόρει σύν άσπίδι.

Pax, 354.

On which lines the Scholiast says—"τὸ Λύκειον δὲ γυμ" νάσιον `Αθήνησιν, ὅπου πρὸ τοῦ πολέμου ἐδόκουν
" γυμνάζεσθαι. πρὸ γὰρ τῶν ἐξόδων ἐξοπλίσεις τινες
" ἐγένοντο ἐν τῷ Λυκείῳ διὰ τὸ παρακεῖσθαι τῆ πόλει
" καὶ ἀποδείξεις τῶν μᾶλλον πολεμικῶν ἀνδρῶν."

Pausanias, in his description of Athens (1.19,) speaks of the place called Kηποι, or 'the Gardens,' as between the temple of Jupiter Olympius, and the Lyceium—" μετὰ δὲ τὸν ναὸν τοῦ Διὸς τοῦ 'Ολυμπίου πλησίου" ἄγαλμά ἐστιν 'Απόλλωνος Πυθίου" ἔστι δὲ καὶ ἄλλο " ἰερὸν 'Απόλλωνος Δελφινίου." And after giving an account of this temple, he adds—" ἐς δὲ τὸ χωρίον ὁ "Κήπους ὀνομάζουσι, καὶ τῆς 'Αφροδίτης τὸν ναὸν " οὐδεὶς λεγόμενός σφισιν ἐστὶ λόγος. \* \* \* τὸ δὲ "ἄγαλμα τῆς 'Αφροδίτης ἐν τοῖς Κήποις ἔργον ἐστὶν " 'Αλκαμένους." (Vid. Preface, p. 16.) Thucydides speaks of this Pythium as amongst the most ancient buildings of the city, (11. 15) and as being in its southern quarter. It is, therefore, not to be confounded with the Pythium in the Agora.

Plutarch thus alludes to the Delphinium—"ὅπου νῦν " ἐν Δελφινίφ τὸ περιφρακτόν ἐστιν. ἐνταῦθα γὰρ ὁ " Αἰγεὺς ὅκει." Thes. ch. 12. And again—" διὰ τοῦ " ἄστεος ἐλάσας, εἶτα τῷ ᾿Απόλλωνι τῷ Δελφινίφ κατ-" έθυσεν." Ch. 41. These passages prove that the Delphinium was in the southern, and most ancient part of Athens.\*

The place called Κηποι must have run along the banks of the Ilissus, and therefore occupied the space between the temple of Jupiter and the Lyceium. In this space also was an altar to the Ilissian Muses, which has now disappeared; but a temple, which probably contained it, was in existence in the year 1656. "ἐθέλουσι δὲ ᾿Αθηναῖοι καὶ ἄλλων θεῶν ἱερὸν εἶναι τὸν Εἰλισσόν. "καὶ Μουσῶν βωμὸς ἐπ' αὐτῷ ἐστιν Εἰλισσιάδων δείκ- νυται δὲ καὶ ἔνθα Πελοποννήσιοι Κόδρον τὸν Μελάν- "θου βασιλεύοντα 'Αθηναίων κτείνουσι." Pausan. 1.19.

On the opposite, or southern bank of the Ilissus was the district called 'Agræ.' "διαβᾶσι δὲ τὰν Εἰ"λισσὸν χωρίον "Αγραι καλούμενον καὶ ναὸς 'Αγροτέρας
" ἐστὶν 'Αρτέμιδος.' Pausan. 1.19. The two banks of the river were connected by a bridge, ruins of which are still visible.

The Panathenaic Stadium was in Agræ. Pausanias thus describes it—"τὸ δὲ ἀκούσασι μὲν οὐχ δμοίως " ἐπαγωγόν, θαῦμα δ' ἰδοῦσι, στάδιόν ἐστι λευκοῦ λι-" θου μέγεθος δὲ αὐτοῦ τῆδε ἄν τις μάλιστα τεκμαίροι-"το. ἄνωθεν ὅρους ὑπὲρ τὸν Εἰλισσὸν ἀρχόμενον ἐκ

<sup>\*</sup> With respect to the name 'Delphinius,' as given to Apollo, the student should consult Muller's History of the Dorians, book II. ch. 1. §. 5. and book II. ch. 2. §. 6.

" μηνοειδους καθήκει του ποταμού πρὸς τὴν ὄχθην, εὐθύ " τε καὶ διπλοῦν. τοῦτο ἀνηρ Αθηναῖος οκοδόμησε, καί " οί τὸ πολύ της λιθοτομίας της Πεντέλησιν ές την οί-" κοδομην ἀνηλώθη." 1. 19. It is not known when the Stadium was first constructed. It was greatly improved by Lycurgus, son of Lycophron, A.C. 350, Ol. 107. 3, who added a podium, and levelled the bed of the Stadium itself. "τῷ σταδίφ τῷ Παναθηναικῷ τὴν κρηπίδα περι-" έθηκεν έξεργασάμενος τοῦτο καὶ τὴν χαράδραν δμαλὴν " ποιήσας." Plutarch. decem Rhet. Vit. Lycurg. About 500 years later, Herodes finished it in the way described by Pausanias. According to Col. Leake's calculation, there may have been nearly 30 rows of seats, and they were capable of containing 25,000 spectators; but a much greater number might be assembled on the slope of the two hills. (p. 53.) The interior of the Stadium measures 630 English feet; the whole length of the part appropriated to the spectators measures 675 feet. Wordsworth says-"The Stadium of Athens was the " most remarkable monument on the south side of the "Ilissus. On this side a sloping bank runs parallel to "the river; and in this slope a semi-elliptical hollow, " facing the north, has been scooped out of the soil, of " somewhat more than 600 feet in length, and at right " angles to the river. This was the Athenian Stadium. "The shelving margins were once cased with seats of "white marble: it is now a long and grass-grown " hollow, retiring into the hill-side. The concave ex-" tremity of the stadium, which is its farthest point " from the Ilissus, is somewhat of a higher level than "that which is nearer to it. The racer started from "the lower extremity, and, having completed one course "in a straight line  $(\delta\rho\delta\mu\sigma_s)$ , or  $\sigma\tau\delta\delta\iota\sigma_s$ ,) turned round "the point of curvature  $(\kappa a\mu\pi\tau\dot{\eta}\rho)$  at the higher extremity, and thus descended in a line parallel to "that of his ascent, till he arrived at the goal  $(\beta a\lambda\beta i_s)$ ," which was a point a little to the east of that from "which he had started: thus he accomplished a double "course  $(\delta\iota a\nu\lambda\sigma_s)$ ." Ch. xx.

Pausanias says, that beyond the fountain of Callirhoe were two temples -- " ναοὶ δὲ ὑπὲρ τὴν κρήνην, ὁ μὲν " Δήμητρος πεποίηται καὶ Κόρης, ἐν δὲ τῷ Τριπτολέμου " κείμενόν ἐστιν ἄγαλμα." 1. 14. The temple of Ceres and Proserpine was called the Eleusinium, because in it the lesser Eleusinian mysteries were celebrated. "The mystic banks of the Ilissus (says Col. Leake) were "sanctified by the sacred lustrations, in which its waters "were employed in the lesser Eleusinian mysteries: " and such was the veneration in which the Eleusinium " was held, that when the whole population of Attica "crowded into the walls of Athens, at the beginning " of the Peloponnesian war, the Eleusinium and the "Acropolis were the only places which the people " scrupled to inhabit. οἱ δὲ πολλοὶ τά τε ἐρῆμα " της πόλεως φκησαν και τὰ ίερὰ και τὰ ήρφα πάντα " πλην της ακροπόλεως καὶ τοῦ Ελευσινίου καὶ εἴ τι " ἄλλο βεβαίως κληστον ήν. Thuc. 11. 17. An island " between the Stadium and Olympium, formed by the "diverging torrents of the Ilissus, seems well adapted " for a place that was closed and kept sacred from the

" vulgar; and the foundations of a building, still ob"servable in this island, may be those of the Eleusinium.
"\* \* \* The temple of Triptolemus, which Pausanias
"also places above Enneacrunus, was probably that
"beautiful little Ionic building, which the drawings of
"Stuart (vol. I. ch. 2) have preserved from oblivion. It
"formed in his time the church of Panaglia on the rock,
"but has now entirely disappeared." p. 115. Polyænus
shows, that the lesser Eleusinian mysteries were performed on the banks of the Ilissus—" ταῦτα μὲν δὴ
"συνέθεντο παρὰ τὸν Ἰλισσὸν οῦ τὸν καθαρμὸν τελοῦσι
"τοῖς ἐλάττοσι μυστηρίοις." Strateg. lib. v. ch. 7. And
Himerius—" ἐγὼ πατρικὸν ὅλβον ῥίψας εὐδαίμονα,
"παρ' Ἰλισσοῦ μυστικαῖς ὅχθαις ἐσκήνημαι." In Diogen.
ap. Photium.

Forchhammer places the temple of Ceres and Proserpine on the southern bank of the Ilissus, and objects to the Eleusinium being placed in the island, on the ground that, if it was there, "the route which Pausanias "took would become entangled." p. 48. If this is the only reason against the position of the temple, it does not seem conclusive; for it is often difficult, in spite of Forchhammer's opinion, to make out what rule Pausanias observed in taking his routes; or whether he observed any rule. Forchhammer places the temple a little to the north of the spot where the temple of Triptolemus appears in my map.

It is remarkable that Pausanias does not mention the name of the temple, in which there was a statue of Triptolemus. He says that there are two temples

beyond Callirhoe, I. xiv. i,—" ναοὶ δὲ ὑπὲρ τὴν κρή" νην, ὁ μέν Δήμητρος πεποίηται καὶ Κόρῆς, ἐν δὲ τῷ
" Τριπτολέμου κείμενον ἐστιν ἄγαλμα." And afterwards
he says, ibid.—" πρόσω δὲ ἰέναι με ὡρμημένον τοῦδε
" τοῦ λόγου, καὶ ὁπόσα ἐς ἐξήγησιν ἔχει τὸ ᾿Αθήνησιν
" ἱερὸν καλούμενον δὲ Ἐλευσίνιον, ἔπεσχεν ὄψις ὀνείρα" τος ἃ δὲ ἐς πάντας ὅσιον γράφειν, ἐς ταῦτα ἀποτρέψ" ομαι. πρὸ τοῦ ναοῦ τοῦδε, ἔνθα καὶ Τριπτολέμου
" ἄγαλμα, ἐστι βοῦς χαλκοῦς." It is impossible to
conjecture what reason so superstitious a mind as that
of Pausanias may have had for suppressing the name of
a temple; but whatever the name was, the building
was certainly near the temple of Ceres and Proserpine.

Immediately after speaking in these terms of the temple of Triptolemus, Pausanias adds—"ἔτι δὲ ἀπω"τέρω ναὸς Εὐκλείας, ἀνάθημα καὶ τοῦτο ἀπὸ Μήδων,
"οὶ τῆς χώρας Μαραθῶνα ἔσχον." ibid. 4. Pausanias also speaks of a temple at Thebes, dedicated to Diana Eucleia: "πλησίον δὲ 'Αρτέμιδος ναός ἐστιν Εὐκλείας."

IX. xvii.i. That there was a festival called Εὔκλεία, at Corinth, we learn from Xenophon, Hellen. IV. iv. 2,—
"ἐκεῖνοι δˆ Εὐκλείων τὴν τελευταίαν προείλοντο."

Forchhammer ingeniously conjectures (p. 48) that this temple may have been raised in gratitude to 'Αρτεμις, (who was worshipped close by, under the title of 'Αγροτέρα,) for granting the prayers of the Athenians, when they supplicated her to grant them victory, before the battle of Marathon.

Pausanias, in describing the entrance to Athens from Phalerum, says, that a statue of Antiope stood immediately inside the gate. "ἔστι δὲ κατὰ τὴν ὁδὸν τὴν ἐς "'Αθήνας ἐκ Φαληροῦ ναὸς "Ηρας \* \* \* ἐσελθόντων δὲ "ἐς τὴν πόλιν ἔστιν 'Αντιόπης μνῆμα 'Αμαζόνος." Ι.ΙΙ. Ι. We also learn from Plato, that this statue stood near the 'Itonian gate'—" ὡς δὲ θᾶττον τὴν παρὰ τὸ τεῖχος "ἤειμεν, ταῖς Ἰτωνίαις, πλησίον γὰρ ικει τῶν πυλῶν, "πρὸς τῆ 'Αμαζονίδι στήλη, καταλαμβάνομεν αὐτόν." Αχίοςλ. 565. α. Socrates was walking by the Ilissus, when he was called back to the city, to visit Axiochus. "ἐξιόντι μοι ἐς Κυνόσαργες καὶ γενομένω μοί κατὰ τὸν "Ἰλισσὸν διῆξε φωνὴ βοῶντός του, Σώκρατες, Σώκρατες" ὡς δὲ περιστραφεὶς περιεσκόπουν ὁπόθεν εἴη,Κλεινίαν "ὁρῶ τὸν 'Αξιόχου θέοντα ἐπὶ Καλλιρόην." id. init. The position therefore of the 'Itonian gate' is determined: it stood at the end of the Phaleric road.

Minerva was worshipped under the name of Itonia, from Itonus, a town in Thessaly. (Catull. LXIV. 228.)

αὐτὰρ ὅγ' ἀμφ' ὤμοισι Θεᾶς Ἰτωνίδος ἔργον δίπλακα πορφυρέην περονήσατο, τήν οἱ ὅπασσε Παλλάς.

Apoll. Rhod. 1. 721.

And Callimachus calls the goddess by the same name—
ηνθον Ἰτωνιάδος μιν ᾿Αθαναίας ἐπ᾽ ἄεθλα
ͺ᾽Ορμενίδαι καλέοντες: Hymn. in Cerer. 79.

As the 'Itonian gate' led to Phalerum, by an àµaξιτός, or carriage road, which ran between the Phaleric and long walls, so the 'Peiraic gate' led to the Piræus, by a carriage road which ran between the long walls. It is extremely improbable that any gate should have been called the 'Peiraic,' which did not lead most directly to the Piræus: and consequently it is equally improbable that any gate to the north of that, which stood between the Museum and the Pnyx, should have had that name.

The position of the Peiraic gate therefore seems properly fixed between these two hills. Plutarch, in his life of Theseus, describes a battle between the Amazons and The Athenian army appears to have been drawn up to the south and west of the Acropolis. extreme right occupied the hill Museum. They began the action by attacking the left of the Amazons, which was opposed to them. They were defeated, however, and compelled to retreat. They fell back in the direction of the Acropolis, and finally retreated to the temple of the Furies, where they held their ground. The slaughter of the Athenians, therefore, in all probability took place in the valley which lies between the hill Museum, the western end of the Acropolis, and the eastern end of the Pnvx.

Plutarch states that the slain were buried "in the "street that leads to the Peiraic gate," where their tombs were still to be seen; adding, that they were buried where they fell.

Plutarch also says, that the heroum of Chalcodon stood near the Peiraic gate,—" τὰς πύλας παρὰ τὸ Χαλκώδον-" τος ἡρῶον, ᾶς νῦν Πειραϊκὰς ὀνομάζουσι." Plut. Thes. ch. 27. Pausanias, describing the road from the Piræus to the city, says,—" ἀνιόντων δὲ ἐκ Πειραιῶς ἐρείπια " τῶν τειχῶν ἐστιν ᾶ Κόνων ὕστερον τῆς πρὸς Κνίδον " ναυμαχίας ἀνέστησε· \* \* ἔστι δὲ τάφος οὐ πόρὸω

" τῶν πυλῶν, ἐπίθεμα ἔχων στρατιώτην ἵππφ παρεστη-" κότα." 1. 2. Pausanias must mean the Peiraic gate: though when he begins his account of the city, in the very next paragraph, he seems to begin from the Dipylum.\* This may be accounted for by the superior importance and magnitude of the Dipylum. "well known (says Colonel Leake) that a man standing "by a horse was a common type on the monument of "a person who received heroic honours; a distinction "which became so common in the latter ages of Greece, "that sepulcral stones of the most ordinary kind are " still found in great numbers, with this type in relief, "accompanied by the person's name, with  $\eta_{\rho\omega}$  attached Now as we learn from Plutarch, that the " to it. " heroic monument of Chalcodon stood at the Peiraic "gate, there seems little doubt that the monument "described by Pausanias, at the gate by which he "entered Athens, was the heroum of Chalcodon, and "that the gate was the same called 'Peiraic,' by "Plutarch." p. 86. It is remarkable, that Pausanias adds, that he did not know whom the figure represented, though it was a work of Praxiteles—" ου τινα μέν ουκ " οίδα, Πραξιτέλης δὲ καὶ τὸν ἵππον καὶ τὸν στρατιώτην " ἐποίησεν." Ibid. Possibly the name of Chalcodon had been altered into that of some Roman,—a thing very often done in the age of Pausanias; and he may have feared to give offence by telling the truth.

<sup>\*</sup> I have given my reasons for this opinion in the Preface, p. XI. seq.

## THE ACROPOLIS AND ADJACENT BUILDINGS.

The Acropolis of Athens stood on a rock, about 150 feet high: its surface on the summit is nearly level, and is about 1000 feet in length: the northern, eastern and southern sides of the rock were precipitous; the western extremity sloped to the plain below, and was therefore more easy of access. On this side accordingly an entrance to the Acropolis was constructed.

At about the centre, and the highest part of the platform, on the summit, stood the famous Parthenon. It was commenced A. C. 445, Ol. 83. 4, under the government of Pericles; Ictinus was its architect; and Phidias its sculptor.\* To the north of the Parthenon was the temple called 'Erectheium,' which name it gained from the circumstance that Erectheus was supposed to have been buried there. It was the temple dedicated to Minerva Polias. The configuration of the building

<sup>\*</sup> The whole of the Acropolis has been elaborately described by Colonel Leake in his eighth chapter. The student will do well to consult a translation of Welcker's "Essay on the Sculptured Groups "in the Pediments of the Parthenon," in the Classical Museum, vol. II. p. 367. Mr. Lucas, the sculptor, whose models of the Parthenon are in the British Museum, has also published some very valuable "Remarks "on the Parthenon." Salisbury, Brodie, 1845.

was remarkable; it had 3 porticoes; one at the eastern extremity, one at the north-western, and one on the south-western: this last was supported by Caryatides (κανηφόροι) instead of pillars. The temple had a triple division; its eastern chamber was specially dedicated to Minerva Polias, and the western to Pandrosus; hence called the 'Pandroseium.' The ground occupied by the south-western was supposed by popular belief to be the burial-place of Cecrops; hence it was called Cecropium.\*

This was the most ancient of all Athenian temples. It is mentioned both in the Iliad and Odyssev (Il. 11. 546-55. Odyss. VII. 80.) It contained the ancient image of Minerva, made of olive-wood, which was supposed to have fallen from heaven. (Vide Acta Apostol. xix. 35.) Pausanias says—" ίερα μέν της 'Αθηνας έστιν " ή τε άλλη πόλις καὶ ή πάσα όμοίως γή καὶ γάρ όσοις " θεούς καθέστηκεν άλλους έν τοις δήμοις σέβειν, οὐδέν τι " ήσσον την 'Αθηναν άγουσιν έν τιμή το δε άγιώτατον " έν κοινώ πολλοίς πρότερον νομισθέν έτεσιν ή συνήλ-" θον ἀπὸ τῶν δήμων, ἐστὶν Αθηνᾶς ἄγαλμα ἐν τῆ νῦν " ἀκροπολει, τότε δε ονομαζομένη πόλει φήμη δε ές " αὐτὸ ἔχει πεσείν ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ." ι. 26. In the Erectheium was also that spring of sea-water, which Neptune produced by the stroke of his trident, to support his claim to the property, of the Athenian Here was the impression of the trident which

<sup>\*</sup> The distribution of the various interior parts of the Erectheium has occasioned a good deal of difficulty and dispute. I must refer the reader to Dr. Wordsworth's XVIIth chapter, and Colonel Leake, p. 257—270.

was then left on the rock; and here also was the sacred olive-tree produced by Minerva. "'Αθηνᾶν καὶ Ποσει- "δῶνα ἀμφισβητῆσαι λέγουσι περὶ τῆς χώρας, ἀμφισ- "βητήσαντας δὲ ἔχειν ἐν κοινῷ· προστάξαι γὰρ οὕτω " Δία σφισι. καὶ διὰ τοῦτο 'Αθηνᾶν τε σέβουσι Πολι- άδα, καὶ Σθενιάδα ὀνομάζοντες τὴν αὐτὴν καὶ Ποσει- "δῶνα βασιλέα ἐπίκλησιν. καὶ δὴ καὶ νόμισμα αὐτοῖς " τὸ ἀρχαῖον ἐπίσημα ἔχει τρίαιναν, καὶ 'Αθηνᾶς πρόσ- "ωπον." Pausan. II. xxx. "Πεποίηται δὲ (sc. in the Acropolis) " καὶ τὸ φυτὸν τῆς ἐλαίας 'Αθηνᾶ, καὶ κῦμα " ἀναφαίνων Ποσειδῶν." 1. 24.

The old Erectheium was totally destroyed by Xerxes. Herodotus, in describing his capture of the Acropolis, says—"ἔστι ἐν τῷ ἀκροπόλι ταύτη Ἐρεχθέος τοῦ γη-"γενέος λεγομένου εἶναι νηός, ἐν τῷ ἐλαίη τε καὶ θά-"λασσα ἔνι τὰ λόγος παρὰ ᾿Αθηναίων Ποσειδέωνά τε καὶ ᾿Αθηναίην, ἐρίσαντας περὶ τῆς χώρας μαρτύρια "θέσθαι ταύτην ὧν τὴν ἐλαίην ἄμα τῷ ἄλλῳ ἰρῷ κατέλαβε ἐμπρησθῆναι ὑπὸ τῶν βαρβάρων δευτέρη "δὲ ἡμέρη ἀπὸ τῆς ἐμπρήσιος, ᾿Αθηναίων οἱ θύειν ὑπὸ "βασιλέος κελευόμενοι, ὡς ἀνέβησαν ἐς τὸ ἰρὸν ὥρων "βλαστὸν ἐκ τοῦ στελέχεος ὅσον τε πηχυαῖον ἀναδε-"δραμηκότα." VIII. 55. "Æschylus seems to draw "his picture from this object (viz. the impression "made by the trident) in the Athenian citadel, when "he says of an Argive temple:—

" ὁρῶ τρίαιναν τήνδε, σημεῖον θεοῦ. Suppl. 218. "Hegesias applies this identical expression to the "trident in the Erectheium: ὁρῶ τὴν ἀκρόπολιν καὶ

"τὸ περὶ τῆς τριαίνης ἔχει τι σημεῖον." (Words-

worth, p. 133.) In the contest between Minerva and Neptune, the twelve gods sate as judges—" ηκεν οὖν " πρώτος Ποσειδών έπὶ τὴν Αττικὴν καὶ πλήξας τῆ " τριαίνη κατά μεσην την άκρόπολιν ανέφηνε θάλασσαν.\* " ην νῦν Ἐρεγθήϊδα καλοῦσι, μετά δὲ τοῦτον ήκεν " 'Αθηνά' καὶ ποιησαμένη της καταληψέως Κέκροπα " μάρτυρα εφύτευσεν ελαίαν ή νῦν εν τῷ Πανδροσίω " δείκνυται γενομένης δὲ ἔριδος ἀμφοῦν περὶ τῆς χώρας, " 'Αθηνάν καὶ Ποσειδώνα διαλύσας Ζεύς κριτάς έδωκεν, " οὐγ, ως εἶπόν τινες, Κέκροπα καὶ Κραναὸν, οὖδε Ερεγ-" θέα, θεούς δὲ τούς δώδεκα. καὶ τούτων δικαζόντων ή " χώρα της 'Αθηνάς έκρίθη, Κέκροπος μαρτυρήσαντος " ὅτι πρῶτον τὴν ἐλαίαν ἐφύτευσεν. ᾿Αθηνᾶ μὲν οὖν " ἀφ' ἐαυτῆς τὴν πόλιν ἐκάλεσεν Αθήνας. Ποσειδῶν " δε θυμφ οργισθείς, το Θριάσιον πέδιον επέκλυσε καί " τὴν 'Αττικὴν ὕφαλον ἐποίησε." Apollod. III. xIV. I.

This contest between a deity of the sea, and one of the land, symbolizes the fact, that Attica had once been under water; from which it was subsequently recovered. Dr. Wordsworth's description of the appearance of Athens, as viewed from the hill of St. George (Lycabettus,) furnishes a curious illustration of this solution of the myth—"This peculiar form" (of Athens and its neighbourhood) "might here be imagined to "have been produced by some such process as this. "It looks as if the surface of the country had once been

<sup>\*</sup> The Latin poets represent Neptune to have produced the horse in this contest. (Virg. Georg. 1.12.) The expression of Statius, Theb. XII. 632—"refugum mare," seems doubtful: though Bentley, ad Hor. Od. I. VII. 5, does not hesitate to apply the words to the salt-spring. In Ovid. Met. VI. 77, the various readings 'fretum' and 'ferum' render his testimony also doubtful.

"in a fluid state, swelling in huge waves, and that then some of these waves had been suddenly fixed in their places into solid and compact rock, while the rest were permitted to subside away into a wide plain. By some such agency as this we might fancy that the objects now before us had been produced." p. 55.

Pausanias (1. 27) gives an account of the statues in the Acropolis. He says—" πρὸς δὲ τῷ ναῷ τῆς ᾿Αθηνᾶς (εc. Poliadis) \* \* "ἐστὶν ἀγάλματα μεγάλα χαλκοῦ, " διεστῶτες ἄνδρες ἐς μάχην καὶ τὸν μὲν Ἐρεχθέα " καλοῦσι, τὸν δὲ Εὔμολπον καίτοι λέληθέ γε οὐδὲ " ᾿Αθηναίων ὅσοι τὰ ἀρχαῖα ἴσασιν, Ἰμμάραδον εἶναι " παῖδα Εὐμόλπου τοῦτον, τὸν ἀποθανόντα ὑπὸ Ἐρεχ-" θέως." These colossal statues stood between the Parthenon and Erectheium.

Between the western end of the Erectheium and the Propylæa was the magnificent and gigantic figure of Minerva Promachos. It was the work of Phidias: it was made of bronze, and was 70 feet in height. The head of it could be seen by sailors, on the voyage from Sunium to the Piræus. The goddess was represented erect, with shield, helmet, and spear: she stood at the entrance of her chosen Acropolis, as its champion (πρόμαχος) and guardian. Demosthenes thus speaks of it—"ἀλλ' ὅλης οὕσης ἱερᾶς τῆς ἀκροπόλεως ταυτησί, "καὶ πολλὴν εὐρυχωρίαν ἐχούσης παρὰ τὴν χαλκῆν ' τὴν μεγάλην ' Αθηνᾶν ἐκ δεξιᾶς ἔστηκεν, (viz. an "inscription) ῆν ἀριστείον ἡ πόλις τοῦ πρὸς τοὺς βαρ-" βάρους πολέμου, δόντων τῶν Έλλήνων τὰ χρήματα ' ταῦτ', ἀνέθηκεν.'' De falsa Legat. 428.

Pausanias says there was a statue of Zeès Πολιεύs in the Acropolis, (1. 24) and Aristophanes, in the Plutus, plainly refers to this statue, as occupying the place which is indicated by Pausanias; viz. to the west of the Parthenon—

'1δρυσόμεθ' οὖν αὖτίκα μάλ', ἀλλὰ περίμενε, τὸν Πλοῦτον, οὖπερ πρότερον ἦν ἱδρυμένος (εc. Ζεύς) τὸν ὀπισθόδομον ἀεὶ φυλάττων τῆς θεοῦ. 1191.

The ὀπισθόδομος was the public treasury, and Plutus was a very fit deity to be placed near it, as its guardian. The comic poet implies that Jupiter had not taken such care of the public treasure as the tutelar god of the city (Πολιεύς) ought to have taken. The whole Acropolis was crowded with works of art.\*

The 'Propylæa,' or fortified entrance to the Acropolis, was begun A. C. 437, Ol. 85. 4. It took five years to build. Mnesicles was the architect. It was commenced under the auspices and government of Pericles, in the archonship of Euthymenes. It was the greatest work of civil architecture which the Athenians produced. It appears that they held it in no less admiration than they held the Parthenon. Demosthenes couples the

<sup>\*</sup> Dr. Wordsworth indeed, (p. 102) referring to the noble dithyrambic fragment of Pindar, Frag. 45, ed. Cookesley—

δεῦτ' ἐν χορόν, 'Ολύμπιοι, ἐπί τε κλυτὰν πέμπετε χάριν, Θεοί, πολύβατον οῖτ' ἄστεος ὀμφαλὸν θυόεντα ἐν ταῖς ἱεραῖς 'Αθάναις

εν ταις tepats Αθαναίς οίχνεῖτε παυδαίδαλον τ' εὐκλέ' ἀγοράν— expresses his conviction that ὀμφαλόν means the Acropolis. I confess I cannot agree with him. I look upon the words πανδαίδαλόν τ' εὐκλέ' ἀγοράν, as explanatory of ὀμφαλόν. It is worth while to remember that Pindar died A. C. 442, Ol. 84. 3, before the great works of Pericles had been executed.

two, as if they were equally great national works-" οἱ τὰ Προπύλαια καὶ τὸν Παρθενῶνα οἰκοδομήσαντες " ἐκεῖνοι καὶ τἄλλα πάντα ἀπὸ τῶν βαρβάρων ίερὰ " κοσμήσαντες εφ' οίς φιλοτιμούμεθα πάντες εἰκότως." Contr. Androt. 507. Again, he says-" οἰκοδομήματα " μέν γε καὶ κόσμον τῆς πόλεως καὶ ἱερῶν καὶ λιμένων " καλ των ἀκολούθων τούτοις τοιούτον καλ τοσούτον " κατέλιπον έκεινοι, ώστε μηδένι των επυγενομένων " ὑπερβολὴν λελεῖφθαι. προπύλαια ταθτα, ὁ Παρθενών, " νεώσοικοι, στοαί, τάλλα, οίς εκείνοι κοσμήσαντες την " πόλιν ήμιν παρέδωκαν." περί συνταξ. 174. Æschines quotes a remarkable observation of a Theban general, who-" οὐχ ὑποπτήξας τὸ τῶν 'Αθηναίων ἀξίωμα, εἶπε " διαδρήδην έν τω πλήθει των Θηβαίων, ώς δεί τὰ της " 'Αθηναίων ακροπόλεως Προπύλαια μετενέγκειν είς την " προστασίαν της Καδμείας." De Fals. Leg. 42; as if the Propylea symbolized the power of Athens.

There were in this building five magnificent bronze gates. Aristophanes, Equit. 1326, speaks of their being thrown open, to receive king Demus. Thucydides (11. 13) speaks of the expense of the Propylea—"τὰ γὰρ "πλεῖστα τριακοσίων ἀποδέοντα μύρια ἐγένετο, ἀφ' ὧν "ἔς τε τὰ Προπύλαια τῆς ἀκροπόλεως καὶ τἄλλα οἰκο- "δομήματα καὶ ἐς Ποτίδαιαν ἀπανηλώθη." Cicero, speaking of extravagance, says—" Demetrius Phalereus " Periclem principem Græciæ vituperat, quod tantam " pecuniam in præclara illa Propylæa conjecerit." De Offic. 11. 17.\*

The northern wall of the Acropolis, together with

<sup>\*</sup> Col. Leake has some valuable observations on the cost of the works of Pericles, p. 406-419.

some space of ground below it, was called the "Pelas" gicum:" the fortification gained its name from having been built by the Pelasgi; and the district, from having been the place of their abode.\* "τό τε Πελασγικὸν " καλούμενον τὸ ὑπὸ τὴν ἀκρόπολιν, ὃ καὶ ἐπάρατόν τε " ἦν μὴ οἰκεῖν καί τι καὶ Πυθικοῦ μαντείου ἀκροτελεύ-" τιον τοιόνδε διεκώλυε, λέγον ὡς

" τὸ Πελασγικὸν ἀργὸν ἄμεινον.

" ὅμως ὑπὸ τῆς παραχρῆμα ἀνάγκης (viz. the occupation of Attica by the Peloponnesians) " ἐξωκήθη." Thucyd.11.
17. Aristophanes, in his play of the 'Birds,' says—

τίς δαὶ καθέξει τῆς πόλεως τὸ Πελαργικόν; v. 832. On which the Scholiast remarks—ὅτι ᾿Αθήνησι τὸ Πελαργικὸν τεῖχος ἐν τῆ ἀκροπόλει, οδ μέμνηται Καλλίμα-χος—"Τυρσηνῶν τείχισμα Πελαργικὸν." And Bentley observes on this—" Pelargicum idem quod Pelasgicum: "et Tyrrheni iidem qui Pelasgi." Herodotus (vi. 137) states, that the Athenians expelled the Pelasgi from their settlement under Mount Hymettus, which they

<sup>\*</sup> On the difficult subject of the Pelasgi, and the Tyrrhenian Pelasgians, the student should consult the "Introduction to Wachsmuth's "Historical Antiquities," Introd. §. 9; and Appendix, v. p. 444. vol. I. English translation. The Pelasgi were at all events skilful masons: but their history is as difficult to discover, as if they were 'free-masons.' The walls called 'Cyclopian' should, no doubt, be called 'Pelasgian.' The etymologies given of the word Πελασγοί are countless. I cannot help thinking that πελ, dark, Lat. pullus, is the root; and I would assign the same root to Πέλοψ. Etymologists are agreed in giving πελ ἀργόs, as the component parts of the word πελαργόs, a stork, which bird was so called from its plumage being a mixture of black and white feathers. It is possibly in reference to this etymology, that the Hesiodic poet Asius, quoted by Pausanias, lib. VIII. 1, says, that 'the 'dark certh' produced Pelasgus—

had received—" μισθὸν τοῦ τείχεος τοῦ περὶ τὴν ἀκρο" πολίν κοτε ἐληλαμένου."

The southern side of the Acropolis was fortified by Cimon, and called indifferently Κιμώνιον, or Νότιον. Pausanias says—" τη δε ακροπόλει, πλην δσον Κίμων " φκοδόμησεν αὐτης ὁ Μιλτιάδου, περιβαλείν τὸ λοιπὸν " λέγεται τοῦ τείχους Πελασγούς οἰκήσαντάς ποτε ὑπὸ " την ἀκρόπολιν." 1. 28. Herodotus (v. 64) calls the whole Acropolis ' the Pelasgian fortress'-" Κλεομένης " δὲ ἀπικόμενος ἐς τὸ ἄστυ ἄμα ᾿Αθηναίων τοῖσι βου-" λομένοισι είναι έλευθέροισι, επολιόρκεε τους τυράν-" νους ἀπεργμένους ἐν τῷ Πελασγικῷ τείχει." Plutarch, in his comparison of Cimon with Lucullus, says particularly, that the former dedicated some part of the spoils he had gained in war to the purpose of building "the southern wall of the Acropolis:" it was thence called 'Cimonian;' but the northern side always retained its original name of 'Pelasgic.'

The old Pelasgic works had fallen into decay, however, before Xerxes invaded Greece. After his retreat, it was the first care of Themistocles to fortify the Acropolis; and Cimon subsequently completed the work on the southern face of the rock. The greater part of the existing walls, though disfigured by successive alterations and repairs, are undoubtedly the work of those two celebrated Athenians.

Beginning our tour of the lower part of the Acropolis at the north-western corner, the first object we arrive at is the  $K\lambda\epsilon\psi\dot{\nu}\delta\rho a$ , a fountain which gained its name from the supposed fact of its having a subterranean

communication with Phalerum. "καταβάσι δὲ οὐκ ἐς "τὴν κάτω πόλιν, ἀλλ' ὅσον ὑπὸ τὰ Προπυλαῖα πηγή "τε ὕδατός ἐστι καὶ πλησίον 'Απόλλωνος ἱερὸν ἐν "σπηλαίω καὶ Πανός." Pausan. 1. 28. Both these objects still exist. Aristophanes, Lysistrata, 911, testifies to their proximity—

KINH. ὅπου τὸ τοῦ Πανός, καλόν. ΜΥΡ. καὶ πῶς ἔθ' ἀγνὴ δῆτ' ᾶν ἔλθοιμ' ἐς πόλιν;

ΚΙΝΗ. κάλλιστα δήπου, λουσαμένη τῆ Κλεψύδρα.

In another passage, Aves, 1694, he thus speaks of the fountain—

έστι δ' εν Φαναῖσι πρὸς τῆ Κλεψύδρα πανοῦργον ε΄γ--γλωττογαστόρων γένος.

On which passage the Scholiast remarks—κρήνη ἐν ἀκροπόλει ἡ Κλεψύδρα.—οὕτως δὲ ἀνόμασται, ἐπείδη ἀρχομένων ἐτησίων πληροῦται . . . εἰς ταύτην δὲ φησιν (sc. Istrus) ἡματωμένην φιάλην ἐμπεσοῦσαν ὀφθῆναι ἐν τῷ Φαληρικῷ, ἀπέχοντι σταδίους εἴκοσι. And again, on the previously quoted passage from the Lysistrata, the Scholiast says—πλησίον τοῦ Πανείου ἡ Κλεψύδρα. \* \* \* ἐν τἢ ἀκροπόλει ἡν κρήνη ἡ Κλεψύδρα, πρότερον Ἐμπεδὰ λεγομένη ἀνομάσθη δὲ Κλεψύδρα διὰ τὸ ποτὲ μὲν πλημμυρεῖν, ποτὲ δὲ ἐνδεῖν. ἔχει δὲ τὰς ῥεύσεις ὑπὸ γῆν, φέρουσα εἰς τῶν Φαληρέων λιμένα.\* The fountain was, and is still, accessible by a secret passage of stairs from the northern wing of the Propylæa.

<sup>\*</sup> These last words are an admirable emendation by Dr. Wordsworth of the corrupt reading—την Φλεγρεώδη λειμῶνα.

Pausanias gives the following reason for the special honour paid by the Athenians to Pan-"περὶ δὲ τοῦ " Πανός φασιν, ως πεμφθείη Φιλιππίδης ες Λακεδαίμονα " ἄγγελος ἀποβεβηκότων Μήδων ἐς τὴν γῆν ἐπανήκων " δε Λακεδαιμονίους ύπερβαλέσθαι φαίη την έξοδον " είναι γάρ δη νόμον αὐτοῖς μη πρότερον μαχουμένους " έξιέναι, πρίν η πλήρη τον κύκλον της σελήνης γενέσ-" θαι τον δε Πανα ο Φιλιππίδης έλεγε περί το όρος " ἐντύγοντά οἱ τὸ Παρθένιον, φάναι τε ώς εὔνους Αθη-" ναίοις είη και ότι ες Μαραθώνα ήξοι συμμαχήσων. " οὖτος μεν οὖν ὁ Θεὸς ἐπὶ ταύτη τῆ ἀγγελία τετίμηται." 1. 28. This is merely a repetition of the story told by Herodotus, VI. 105, who concludes by saying "'Aθηναΐοι "... ιδρύσαντο ύπὸ τἢ ἀκροπόλι Πανὸς ίρόν, καὶ " αὐτὸν ἀπὸ ταύτης τῆς ἀγγελίης θυσίησι ἐπετείησι καὶ " λαμπάδι ἰλάσκονται." In this grotto Miltiades probably dedicated that statue of Pan, for which Simonides furnished the inscription—

τὸν τραγόπουν ἐμὲ Πᾶνα τὸν ᾿Αρκάδα, τὸν κατὰ Μήδων,

τὸν μετ' 'Αθηναίων, στήσατο Μιλτιάδης.

Anthol. Gr. v. 1. p. LXIII. 21.\*

The water of the fountain Clepsydra was conveyed by an aqueduct ( $\delta\chi e\tau os$ )—some vestiges of which still remain—to a building called the 'Temple of the Winds,' or the 'Horologium of Cyrrhestes.' This was an octagonal tower, erected by Andronicus of Cyrrha. The building, which still exists, stood on part of the ground supposed to have been occupied by the New Agora.

<sup>\*</sup> The position of the Lupercal, at the foot of the Palatine Mount at Rome, resembles that of the Havelov at Athens.

Vitruvius thus describes it—"Andronicus Cyrrhestes "collocavit Athenis turrim marmoream octogonon, et "in singulis lateribus octogoni singulorum ventorum "imagines exsculptas contra suos cujusque flatus desig-"navit, supraque eam turrim metam (a pillar) marmor-"eam perfecit, et insuper Tritonem æreum collocavit, "dextra manu virgam porrigentem: et ita est machi-"natus, uti vento circumageretur et semper contra "flatum consisteret, supraque imaginem flantis venti "indicem virgam teneret." 1. ch. 6.

The figures of the eight winds are described by Dr. Wordsworth, Ch. 19: they were copied by Stuart, and are engraved in the first volume of his 'Antiquities of Athens.' The name of each wind is written over it; and they stand in this order—

North. Bopéas.

N. E. Kaiklas.

East. 'Απηλιώτης.

S. E.  $\mathbf{E} \hat{v}_{\rho o \varsigma}$ .

South. Nóros.

S. W. Aly.

West. Zépupos.

Ν. Ψ. Σκίρων.

The principal purpose for which this tower was built was, to act as a clock, which it did in two ways: on the outer walls were drawn horary lines, which with gnomons above them formed a series of sun dials; and, within, it contained a clepsydra, or water-clock: hence it was called 'horologium.' Hesychius says—"Κλεψύδρα ώρολόγιον, "δργανον, ἐν ῷ αἱ ὁραι μετροῦνται." in voc. Water-clocks were called by either name. "Athenis in Horo-

"logio, quod fecit Cyrrhestes." Varro de Re Rust. 111. 5. Pliny, in the last chapter of his Seventh Book of Natural History, gives an account of the various ways in which time had been measured at Rome; and he ends by saying—"Scipio Nasica collega Lænatis primus aqua divisit" horas æque noctium ac dierum: idque horologium sub tecto dicavit, A. U. C. 595. Tamdiu populo Romano "indiscreta lux fuit." "The tower of Cyrrhestes, placed "in the public square, was the city clock of Athens. "By it the affairs of the inhabitants were regulated. "The law courts sat, and merchants transacted their business, from its dictation." Wordsworth, p. 152.

About sixty yards to the east of the cave of Pan, in the northern face of the rock, is another cave, between which and the Acropolis a subterranean passage has been discovered. There can be no doubt that this is the cave of Agraulos. Below this cave stood the 'Ανάμειον, or temple of the Dioscuri. Pausanias says—" τὸ δὲ ἰερὸν "τῶν Διοσκούρων ἐστὶν ἀρχαῖον \* \* \* ὑπὲρ δὲ τῶν " Διοσκούρων τὸ ἱερὸν 'Αγλαύρου (so Pausanias writes " the word, instead of 'Αγραύλου) τέμενός ἐστιν." 1.18. The proximity of the caves of Pan and Agraulos is thus attested by Euripides—

ώ Πανὸς θακήματα καὶ παραυλίζουσα πέτρα μυχώδεσι Μακραῖς, ἵνα χοροὺς στείβουσι ποδοῖν ᾿Αγραύλου κόραι τρίγονοι στάδια χλοερὰ πρὸ Παλλάδος ναῶν. Ιοπ, 492.

<sup>\*</sup> The reader may see an amusing account of water-clocks in 'Beck-mann's History of Inventions,' Vol. I. p. 82. London, Bohn.

The northern cliffs were called Makpai.

ἔνθα προσβόρρους πέτρας Παλλάδος ὑπὰ ὅχθῷ τῆς ᾿Αθηναίων χθονὸς Μακρὰς καλοῦσι γῆς ἄνακτες Ἦτθιδος. ibid. 11.

Dr. Wordsworth (p. 86) gives a beautiful historical illustration of the neighbourhood of the Agrauleium and Anaceium. "The same conclusion" (viz. that there was a subterraneous communication between the cave of Agraulos and the Acropolis) "arises from a con-"sideration of a stratagem of Peisistratus. (Polyæn. " Strateg. 1. 21.) He convened the Athenians in the "Anaceium, which was below the Agrauleium, to the "north, with the view of disarming them. "was addressing them there, they laid down their arms. "The partizans of Peisistratus seize the arms so laid "down, and convey them to the Agrauleium. They "were probably conveyed there, because of the com-" munication between that place and the Acropolis, by "means of which they might be readily taken to the "armoury of Peisistratus in the citadel itself." passage from Polyenus is as follows—" Πεισίστρατος " 'Αθηναίων τὰ ὅπλα βουλόμενος παρελέσθαι, παρήγ-" γειλεν ήκειν απαντας είς τὸ 'Ανάκειον μετὰ τῶν ὅπλων " οί μεν ήκον. ό δε προήλθε δημηγορήσαι βουλόμενος " καὶ σμικρά τῆ φωνῆ λέγειν ἤρχετο. οἱ δὲ ἐξακούειν " μη δυνάμενοι προελθείν αὐτὸν ηξίωσαν εἰς τὸ Προπύ. " λαιον, ϊνα πάντες έξακούσειαν έπει δε δ μεν ήσυχή " διελέγετο, οί δε εκτείναντες τας ακοάς προσείγον, οί " ἐπίκουροι προελθόντες καὶ τὰ ὅπλα ἀράμενοι κατήνεγ-" καν είς τὸ ίερὸν τὴς 'Αγραύλου."

Herodotus, in describing the siege of the Acropolis by Xerxes, (VIII. 52-3) says—" ἔμπροσθε ὧν πρὸ τῆς " ἀκροπόλιος, ὅπισθε δὲ τῶν πυλέων καὶ τῆς ἀνόδου, " τῆ δὴ οὕτε τις ἐφύλασσε, οὐτ' ἀν ἤλπισε μή κοτέ τις " κατὰ ταῦτα ἀναβαίη ἀνθρώπων, ταύτη ἀνέβησάν " τινες κατὰ τὸ ἱρὸν τῆς Κέκροπος θυγατρὸς 'Αγλαύρου, " καίτοιπερ ἀποκρήμνου ἐόντος τοῦ χώρου." It is certainly possible, as Dr. Wordsworth suggests, that the Persians may have got up by this subterranean passage: but the words in Herodotus do not lead one to suppose that such was the fact. Pausanias (1. 18) copies the story told by Herodotus.

The military oath of the Ephebi was taken in the sanctuary of Agraulos: youthful soldiers swore to devote themselves to their country as she had done. Demosthenes refers to this oath—"  $\tau \partial \nu \ \, \epsilon \nu \ \, \tau \hat{\varphi} \ \, \tau \hat{\eta} s$  'Agraúlou "  $\tau \hat{\omega} \nu \ \, \epsilon \hat{\varphi} \hat{\eta} \beta \omega \nu$  őrkov." De falsa Legat. 438. Vid. Shilleto's note, ad loc.

At no great distance from the north-eastern end of the Aeropolis, stood the new Prytaneium—" πλησίον δὲ (νίz. the Agrauleium) " Πρυτανεῖόν ἐστιν, ἐν ῷ νομοι τε " Σόλωνός εἰσι γεγραμμένοι καὶ Θεῶν Εἰρήνης ἀγάλματα " κεῖται καὶ 'Εστίαs." Pausan. 1.18. From this building a street called 'the Tripods' ran in a curve to the southeastern corner of the great Dionysiac theatre, which was hewn out of the south-eastern face of the rock of the Acropolis. " ἔστι δὲ ὁδὸς ἀπὸ τοῦ Πρυτανείου καλου- "μένη Τρίποδες ἀφ' οὖ δὲ καλοῦσι τὸ χωρίον, ναοὶ θεῶν " ἐς τοῦτο μεγάλοι,\* καὶ σφισιν ἐφεστήκασι τρίποδες

<sup>\*</sup> The particle of has probably been lost, before the word μεγάλοι.

" γαλκοί μέν, μνήμης δε άξια μάλιστα περιέγοντες είρ-" yaouéva." Pausan. 1.20. " The line of similar fabrics, of "which the small circular building, of the most graceful "Corinthian proportions, called the Choragic monument " of Lysicrates," (vulgarly called also 'the lantern of Demosthenes') " is the only surviving relic, must have " possessed great interest, both from their object and "execution. They were a series of temples, forming a "street; these temples were surmounted by finials. " which supported the tripods, gained by victorious " choragi in the neighbouring theatre of Bacchus, and "here dedicated by them to that deity, the patron of "dramatic representations. Hence the line formed by "these temples was called the Street of Tripods. From " the inscriptions engraved on the architraves of these "temples, which recorded the names of the victorious f parties, and the year in which the victory was gained, "the dramatic chronicles, or διδασκαλίαι, were mainly "compiled. Thus these small fabrics served the pur-"pose, at the same time, of fasti, trophies, and temples. "What a host of soul-stirring thoughts must have " started up in the mind of a sensitive Athenian, as "he walked along this street!" Wordsworth, p. 153. Plato speaks of this street - " μαρτυρήσουσί σοι, έὰν " μεν βούλη, Νικίας ο Νικηράτου και οι άδελφοι μετ' " αὐτοῦ, ών οἱ τρίποδες οἱ ἐφεξῆς ἐστῶτές εἰσιν ἐν τῶ " Διονυσίφ." Gorgias, 472, a. Plutarch in his life of Nicias corroborates this - " είστήκει δὲ καὶ τῶν ἀναθη-" μάτων αὐτοῦ (sc. Niciæ) καθ' ήμᾶς τό τε Παλλάδιον " ἐν ἀκροπόλει, τὴν χρύσωσιν ἀποβεβληκώς καὶ ὁ τοῖς " χορηγικοῖς τρίποσιν ὑποκείμενος ἐν Διονύσου νεώς. " ἐνίκησε γὰρ πολλάκις χορηγήσας." ch. 3. The choragic monument of Lysicrates was engraved, in detail, by Stuart, vol. I. ch. 4.

At the south-eastern corner of the Acropolis, and close to the great Dionysiac theatre, stood the temple of Bacchus—" τοῦ Διονύσου δέ ἐστι πρὸς τῷ θεάτρω τὸ " ἀρχαιότατον ἱερόν." Pausanias, 1.20; who immediately adds-" έστι δὲ πλησίον τοῦ τε ἱεροῦ τοῦ Διονύσου καὶ " του θεάτρου κατασκεύασμα ποιηθήναι δε τής σκευής " [al. σκηνής] αὐτὸ ἐς μίμησιν τής Εέρξου λέγεται." This was the Odeium of Pericles, which was built so as to represent the tent of Xerxes. Its roof was composed of the masts and yards of Persian ships. The building was destroyed by Aristion, who defended Athens against Sylla, that the besiegers might not make use of the timber in assaulting the Acropolis: it was restored by Ariobarzanes, king of Cappadocia. "Patris haberi fa-" num et exeuntibus e theatro sinistra parte Odeum quod "Pericles" (Themistocles; Tauchnitz; alii;) "columnis "lapideis, navium malis et antennis e spoliis Persicis "pertexit: idem autem incensum Mithridatico bello "rex Ariobarzanes restituit." Vitruv. v. q. (Leake, p. 28.) Plutarch, in his life of Pericles, (ch. 13) thus describes it-" τὸ δὲ 'Ωδείον τῆ μὲν ἐντὸς πολύεδρον καὶ πολύ-" στυλον, τη δ' ερέψει περικλινές καὶ κάταντες εκ μιας " κορυφής πεποιημένου, εἰκόνα λέγουσι γενέσθαι καὶ " μίμημα της βασιλέως σκηνης, έπιστατούντος καὶ τού-" τφ Περικλέους. διὸ καὶ πάλιν Κρατίνος ἐν Θράτταις " παίζει πρὸς αὐτόν.

- " ὁ σχινοκέφαλος Ζεὺς ὁδὶ προσέρχεται
- " Περικλέης τώδεῖον ἐπὶ τοῦ κρανίου
- " ἔχων, ἐπείδη τοὔστρακον παροίχεται."

The great Dionysiac theatre was at the south-eastern corner of the Acropolis: it was scooped out of the sloping face of the rock. Each row of seats formed nearly a semicircle, the diameter of which increased with the ascent. The two highest of these semicircular rows of seats are all that are now visible:\* future excavation may ascertain the exact dimensions of the theatre. Plato is supposed to state that it held 30,000 spectators: this number, however, seems impossible. The passage of Plato is in the Symposium. where Socrates says to Agathon, who had lately gained a dramatic victory—" ή γε (σοφία) παρά σοῦ νέου ὄντος " ούτω σφόδρα εξέλαμψε καλ εκφανής εγένετο πρώην " έν μάρτυσι των Ελλήνων πλέον ή τρισμυρίοις. " 'Υβριστης εί, έφη, ω Σώκρατες, ὁ 'Αγάθων." Sympos. 175. e.: and Stallbaum by his note shows that he considers this passage decisive on the point-" Hinc cog-"noscas (says he) theatri Atheniensis amplitudinem." But, in the first place, the bantering, ironical, tone of Socrates renders it unreasonable to put an exact interpretation on his words; and, in the next place, the term τρισμύριοι meant only a very large indefinite number. είς έμοι ἄνθρωπος τρισμύριοι.

Epigr. Incert. Anthol. IV. DXVI. p. 226.

<sup>\*</sup> Recent excavation may possibly have laid open more of the theatre: at all events it is to be hoped that the whole of the ground will be excavated. It is an object in which not merely Europe, but the whole civilized world, has an interest. The gradual increase of diameter in the ascent of the rows is clearly shown in an Athenian medal, engraved in the title page of Col. Leake's work.

Aristophanes, in the Equites, says—
ἐγὰ δὲ προσδοκῶν γε τρισμυριόπαλαι
βδελύττομαι σφώ.

1 1 56.

The theatre is often described as εν Διονύσου, in the enclosure sacred to Bacchus. Pausanias says there was a cavern above the theatre—" έν δὲ τῆ κορυφή τοῦ " θεάτρου σπήλαιόν έστιν έν ταις πέτραις ύπο την α-" κρόπολιν. τρίπους δὲ ἔπεστι καὶ τούτω." 1. 21. This cavern was converted, by a successful choragus named Thrasyllus, into a temple: at the entrance of it he built a porch, with an inscription, which was copied by Stuart, and is engraved in his 2nd vol. ch. 4. The whole was surmounted by a sitting statue of Bacchus (now in the British Museum,) in the lap of which there are holes, to receive a tripod. Two other inscriptions are also on this porch; both copied and engraved by Since the time that he visited Athens, this Stuart. interesting monument has been destroyed. "A large fragment of the architrave of this temple of Thrasyl-" lus (savs Dr. Wordsworth,) with a part of the inscrip-"tion upon it, is now lying on the slope of the theatre; "it has been hewn into a drinking trough!" p. 90. Immediately above this cavern, there are two pillars still standing: they are insulated, and never made part of any building: their capitals are triangular, and have cavities sunk in the upper surface, at each of their angles. These of course were made to receive a tripod, gained by the victorious choragus who raised the pillar.

Between the Dionysiac theatre and Odeium of Regilla there is a long row of arches: the workmanship appears to be that of the age in which the Odeium of Regilla was built; but it is possible that Herodes, when he built this Odeium, repaired, rebuilt, or enlarged the  $\Sigma\tau o\acute{a}$  of Eumenes, which Vitruvius describes as lying to the west of the great theatre. "Post scenam portius cus sunt constituendæ, uti, cum imbres repentini ludos interpellaverint, habeat populus quo se recipiat ex theatro, choragiaque laxamentum habeant ad comparandum; uti sunt porticus Pompeianæ, itemque Athenis porticus Eumenia." lib. v. ch. 9.

At the south-western end of the Acropolis was the Odeium, built by Herodes, and called by him, after his deceased wife, the Odeium of Regilla. Pausanias does not mention this building in his description of Athens, because it was erected subsequently to his visit. In speaking of Patræ, he says—" ἔχεται δὲ τῆς " ἀγορᾶς τὸ ψόδεῖον \* \* \* κεκόσμηται δὲ καὶ ἐς ἄλλα " τὸ ψόδεῖον ἀξιολογώτατα τῶν ἐν "Ελλησι, πλήν γε δὴ " τοῦ 'Αθήνησι τοῦτο γὰρ μεγέθει τε καὶ ἐς τὴν πᾶσαν " ὑπερῆρκε παρασκευήν ἀνὴρ δὲ 'Αθηναῖος ἐποίησεν " Ἡρώδης ἐς μνήμην ἀποθανούσης γυναικός ἐμοὶ δὲ τῆς " ᾿Ατθίδι συγγραφῆ τὸ ἐς τοῦτο παρείθη τὸ ψόδεῖον, ὅτι " πρότερον ἔτι ἐξείργαστό μοι τὰ ἐς 'Αθηναίους, ἡ ὑπ-" ῆρκτο Ἡρώδης τοῦ οἰκοδομήματος." VII. 20.

Pausanias, in describing his route from the Dionysiac theatre to the western end of the Acropolis, says thus—" ἰόντων δὲ ᾿Αθήνησιν ἐς τὴν ἀκρόπολιν ἀπὸ τοῦ θεάτρον " τέθαπται Κάλως. τοῦτον τὸν Κάλων ἀδελφῆς παίδα " ὅντα καὶ τῆς τέχνης μαθητὴν φονεύσας Δαίδαλος ἔς " Κρήτην ἔφυγε." 1.21. This story is given in detail

by Diodorus Siculus, IV. 76; and Apollodorus says of Dædalus—" οὖτος ἢν ἀρχιτέκτων ἄριστος καὶ πρῶτος " ἀγαλμάτων εὐρετής. οὖτος ἐξ ᾿Αθηνῶν ἔφυγεν,ἀπὸ τῆς " ἀκροπόλεως βαλῶν τὸν τῆς ἀδελφῆς Πέρδικος υἱὸν " Τάλω, μαθητὴν ὄντα, δείσας μὴ διὰ τὴν εὐφυταν " αὐτὸν ὑπερβάλη." III. xv. Pausanias is singular in calling this person Κάλως, instead of Τάλως.

The tomb must have been between the great theatre and the temple of Æsculapius, which is the next object noticed by Pausanias—" τοῦ Αἰσκληπιοῦ τὸ ἰερὸν ἔς τε " τὰ ἀγάλματά ἐστιν, ὁπόσα τοῦ θεοῦ πεποίηται καὶ " τῶν παίδων καὶ ἐς τὰς γραφὰς θέας ἄξιον. ἔστι δὲ ἐν " αὐτῷ κρήνη." 1. 21.

All the springs which rise in the hill of the Acropolis are impregnated with saline matter; and such springs were commonly dedicated to Æsculapius. A spring now rises at a spot, which, when Stuart visited Athens, was occupied by a mosque. This mosque had been formed out of the ruins of a church. Heathen temples were generally converted into churches; and there seems every reason to believe that this church was originally the temple of Æsculapius. It occupied a place between the north of the Odeium of Regilla and the south-western corner of the Propylæa.

Pausanias continues his route to the Acropolis in the following words—" μετὰ δὲ τὸ ἱερὸν τοῦ Αἰσκληπιοῦ " ταύτη πρὸς τὴν ἀκρόπολιν ἰοῦσιν, Θέμιδος ναός ἐστι " κέχωσται δὲ πρὸ αὐτοῦ μνῆμα 'Ἰππολύτφ. \* \* \* " ᾿Αφροδίτην τε τὴν Πάνδημον, ἐπεί τε ᾿Αθηναίους Θη- σεὺς ἐς μίαν ἤγαγεν ἀπὸ τῶν δήμων πόλιν, αὐτήν τε

" σέβεσθαι καὶ Πειθὼ κατέστησε. \* \* \* ἔστι δὲ καὶ "Γῆς κουροτρόφου καὶ Δήμητρος ἱερὸν Χλόης. \* \* \* "τῶν δὲ Προπυλαίων ἐν δεξιῷ Νίκης ἐστὶν ἀπτέρου " ναός. ἐντεῦθεν ἡ θάλασσά ἐστι σύνοπτος. καὶ ταύτη "ρίψας Αἰγεὺς ἑαυτόν, ὡς λέγουσιν, ἐτελεύτησεν." 1. 22. The position of the temple of 'Ceres Chloe,' or, 'Terra ' nutrix,' may be fixed with tolerable precision. A scholiast on v. 1600 of the Œdipus Coloneus,

τώ δ' εὐχλόου Δήμητρος εἰς ἐπόψιον πάγον μολούσα,

says—" εὐχλόου Δήμητρος ἱερόν ἐστι πρὸς τἢ ἀκροπό" λει. καὶ Εὔπολις Μαρικά:

άλλ' εὐθὺ πόλεως εἶμι' θῦσαι γάρ με δεῖ κρίου Χλόη Δήμητρι."

In the 'Lysistrata' of Aristophanes, the women, when besieged in the Acropolis, see a man approaching—

ΛΥΣΙΣ. ἄνδρ', ἄνδρ' ὁρῶ προσιόντα παραπεπληγ- μένον

ΓΥΝΗ. ποῦ δ' ἐστίν, ὅστις ἐστί;

ΛΥΣΙΣ. παρὰ τὸ τῆς Χλόης. 831.

The temple must have stood close to the Propylæa, at its southern side. The temple of Themis, with the tomb of Hippolytus in front of it, probably stood close to that of Venus  $\Pi \acute{a}\nu \delta \eta \mu os$ . Pausanias says, that Theseus raised this latter temple, to commemorate the confederation of Attica, which he accomplished.

There is an important passage in the Hippolytus of

Euripides, who says that Phædra built this temple—
καλ πρλυ μεν έλθειν τήνδε γῆν Τροιζηνίαν,
πέτραν παρ' αὐτὴν Παλλάδος κατόψιον
γῆς τῆσδε, ναὸν Κύπριδος καθείσατο.\*
29.

Diodorus Siculus confirms this—" μικρὸν δ' ὕστερον " Ἱππολύτου ἐπανελθόντος εἰς τὰς 'Αθήνας πρὸς τὰ " μυστήρια, Φαίδρα διὰ τὸ κάλλος ἐρασθεῖσα αὐτοῦ, " τότε μὲν ἀπελθόντος ἰδρύσατο ἰερὸν 'Αφροδίτης παρὰ." τὴν ἀκρόπολιν, ὅθεν ἢν καθορᾶν τὴν Τροιζῆνα." IV. 62. This temple probably stood near the boundary line between the Agora and the Acropolis; for Harpocration says—" ᾿Απολλόδωρος ἐν τῷ περὶ Θεῶν Πάνδη-" μον φησὶν ᾿Αθήνησι κληθῆναι τὴν ἀφιδρυθεῖσαν περὶ " τὴν ἀρχαίαν ἀγοράν." in voc. 'Πάνδημος ᾿Αφροδίτη.'

The temple of 'Wingless Victory stood to the west of the southern wing of the Propylea. This temple has lately been recovered, and exposed to view by excavation. "The great discovery of the day" (says Mr. Bracebridge, in a letter from Athens to Dr. Wordsworth) "is the long-"lost temple of the Wingless Victory. \* \* It is of the "Ionic order, the columns about 15 feet high and

<sup>\*</sup> Two lines follow here, which have given some trouble—

έρῶσ' ἔρωτ' ἔκδημον' Ἱππολύτφ δ' ἔπι

τὸ λοιπὸν ὧνόμαζεν ἰδρῦσθαι θεάν.

"fluted: 4 columns stand on the front, and 4 on the "back: the sides of the cella being in line with the " external columns. The whole is of Pentelic marble, "and highly finished: the position is exactly that " specified by Pausanias, on the south-western angle of "the Acropolis, on the right as you ascend to the " Propylea, turning the south-western wing of which "this exquisite little temple fronts. Parts of all the "columns of the Victory have been found, several " entire with their capitals, and these with the walls of "the cella, and most of the entablatures have been "replaced." Wordsworth, p. 278.\* Pausanias, speaking of the Lacedæmonians, says-" τοῦ ναοῦ δὲ (sc. " Hipposthenis) ἀπαντικρὺ πέδας ἐστὶν ἔγων Ἐνυάλιος. " ἄγαλμα ἀρχαῖον. γνώμη δὲ τῆ αὐτῆ Λακεδαιμονίων " τε ες τοῦτό εστιν ἄγαλμα, καὶ Αθηναίων ες τὴν ἄπτερ-" ου καλουμένην Νίκην, τῶν μὲν οὖποτε τὸν Ἐνυάλιου " φεύγοντα ολγήσεσθαί σφισιν ένεγόμενον ταίς πέδαις. " `Αθηναίων δε την Νίκην αὐτόθι ἀεὶ μένειν οὐκ ὄντων " πτερών." III. 15.

This deity was called Νίκη 'Αθηνά. Harpocration, in voc. says—" Λυκοῦργος ἐν τῷ περὶ τῆς 'Ιερείας, ὅτι "Νίκης 'Αθηνάς ξόανον ἄπτερον, ἔχον ἐν μὲν τῆ δεξιῷ

<sup>\* &</sup>quot;The history of the temple of Unwinged Victory' is very curious.

In 1676 it was found entire, by Spon and Wheler. Subsequent travellers found that it had disappeared. In 1835, the various portions were discovered in an excavation, with the exception of two, which are in the British Museum. It is now entirely restored. The "original structure belongs to the period of the close of the Persian wars." Howson and Conybeare's Life and Epistles of St. Paul, vol. II. ch. 10. p. 380, note.

" ροιάν, εν δε τη εὐωνύμω κράνος, ετιμάτο. ὅτι δε ετι" μάτο παρ' ᾿Αθηναίοις, δεδήλωκεν Ἡλιόδωρος εν τη 
" πρώτη περὶ ἀκροπόλεως." Euripides thus mentions 
the title—

σè—ẻμὰν 'Αθάναν ίκετεύω,

\* \* \* & πότνα Νίκα.

Ion. 452.

μὰ τὴν παρασπίζουσαν ἄρμασίν ποτε Νίκην 'Αθάναν Ζηνὶ γηγενεῖς ἔπι. Ibid. 1528.

And Sophocles in the 'Philoctetes'-

Έρμης δ' ὁ πέμπων δόλιος ηγήσαιτο νῷν Νίκα τ' ᾿Αθάνα Πολιάς, ης σώζει μ' ἀεί. 133.

On which passage the scholiast says—" οὖτως ἡ πολιοῦ" χος 'Αθηνὰ Ν/κη καλεῖται ἐν τῷ 'Αττικῷ." Eustathius, ad Hom. Il. xxi. says—" ὁ Ζεὺς ἄμα γεννήσας αὐτὴν
" (εc. Minervam) ν/κην ἐποίησε κατὰ Τιτάνων διὸ καὶ
" `Αθηνὰ Ν/κη ἐπωνομάσθη. In the 'Lysistrata' of Aristophanes, the troop of old men, who besiege the women in the Acropolis, must have advanced, of course, past this temple: they therefore very naturally invoke Victory, on their march—

δέσποινα Νίκη ξυγγενοῦ, τῶν τ' ἐν πόλει γυναικῶν τοῦ νῦν παρεστῶτος θράσους θέσθαι τροπαῖον ἡμᾶς.

317.

We have now finished the circuit of the Acropolis.

## THE PNYX AND AGORA.

The Agora of Athens occupied the valley which lies on the west of the Acropolis: on the north it was bounded by the Areiopagus; and on the southwest by the Pnyx. In later times the Agora was called the Inner Cerameicus.

The old city of Athens occupied the Acropolis, and the district to the south of it. Thucydides, speaking of its condition before the great revolution produced by Theseus, says—" τὸ δὲ πρὸ τούτου ἡ ἀκρόπολις ἡ " νῦν οὖσα πόλις ην, καὶ τὸ ὑπ' αὐτὴν πρὸς νότον τε-" τραμμένον." 11. 15. He specifies the oldest temples of the city as being on the south; viz. those of Jupiter Olympius, Bacchus ev Aluvais, the Earth, and the Pythium; and adds-" ίδρυται δὲ καὶ ἄλλα ίερὰ ταύτη " ἀργαῖα." ibid. καλεῖται δὲ διὰ τὴν παλαιὰν ταύτη " κατοίκησιν καὶ ἡ ἀκρύπολις μέχρι τοῦδε ἔτι ὑπ' 'Αθη-" valor πόλις." ibid. This southern district was bounded on the west by the hill Museium, and on the north-west by the contiguous hill, the Pnyx. Out of the northeastern face of this latter hill was formed the famous place for the public assemblies of the Athenian people.

Dr. Wordsworththus describes it :- "The Pnvx was part " of the surface of a low rocky hill, at the distance of a " quarter of a mile to the west of the central rock of the "Acropolis, and at about half that distance to the south-" west of the centre of the Areopagus hill. The Pnvx " may be best described as the area formed by the seg-" ment of a circle, which, as it is very nearly equal to a "semicircle, for the sake of conciseness we shall assume " to be such. The radius of this semicircle varies from " about sixty to eighty yards. It is on a sloping " ground, which shelves down very gently toward the " hollow of the ancient Agora, which was at its foot, " on the north-east. The chord of this semicircle is "the highest part of this slope; the middle of its arc "is the lowest: and this last point of the curve is " cased by a terras wall of huge polygonal blocks, and " of about 15 feet in depth at the centre: this terras " wall prevents the soil of the slope from lapsing down "into the valley of the Agora beneath it. From its " being thus consolidated, and as it were condensed " (πυκνουμένη) by the upward pressure of these massive " stones, the Pnyx derived its name.\* This massive " wall is probably coeval with the birth of oratory at The chord of this semicircle is formed by a " Athens. " line of rock vertically hewn, so as to present to the " spectator, standing in the area, the face of a flat wall, "In the middle point of this wall of rock, and projecting

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It is natural to expect that the principal public buildings connected with the legislature and jurisprudence of the country, should be in the neighbourhood of the great place of popular assembly; and such was the fact. The Μητρώου, or Record Office, where the laws were kept; the Βουλευτήριον, where the council of 500 met; the Θόλος, where the Prytanes sacrificed and dined; the statues of the ἐπώνυμοι, to which it was required that all notices of resolutions to be proposed in the ἐκκλησία should be affixed;—all these were in the immediate vicinity of the Pnyx. Pausanias, in describing the buildings and works of art in the Agora (which he calls the Cerameicus,) says—" ωκοδόμηται δὲ " καλ μητρός θεών ίερόν, ην Φειδίας είργάσατο, καλ " πλησίου των πεντακοσίων βουλευτήριου, ο βουλεύ-" ουσιν ένιαυτον 'Αθηναίοις." τ. 3. " τοῦ βουλευτηρίου " πλησίον θόλος έστι καλουμένη, και θύουσί τε ένταῦθα " οἱ Πρυτάνεις, καί τινα καὶ ἀργύρου πεποιημένα ἐστὶν " ἀγάλματα οὐ μεγάλα. ἀνωτέρω δὲ ἀνδριάντες έστή-" κασιν ήρώων, ἀφ' ὧν 'Αθηναίοις ὕστερον τὰ ὀνόματα " ἔσχον ai φυλαί." 1. 5.

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one Apellicon, whose love of antiquities was occasionally indulged at the expense of his honesty; for we read of him,—" ἐκ τοῦ Μητρφου τῶν παλαιῶν αὐτόγραφα ψη- "φίσματα ὑφαιρούμενος ἐκτᾶτο, καὶ ἐκ τῶν ἄλλων "πόλεων εἴ τι παλαιὸν εἴη καὶ ἀπόθετον." V. 214. Suidas quotes Lycurgus to the same purpose—" Λυ- "κοῦργος ἐν τῷ κατὰ 'Αριστογείτονος' τοὺς νόμους " ἔθεντο ἀναγράψαντες\* ἐν τῷ Μητρώφ." in voc. 'Μητρῷον.' Demosthenes corroborates this,—" ὑπὲρ τῆς " ἐξωμοσίας ἐν τοῖς κοινοῖς τοῖς ὑμετέροις γράμμασιν " ἐν τῷ Μητρῷφ ταῦτ ἐστίν." De falsa Legat. 381.

Æschines confirms the statement of Pausanias, that the Βουλευτήριον was near the Μητρφον. " ἐν τοίνυν " τῷ Μητρφο παρὰ τὸ βουλευτήριον." In Ctesiph. p. 576. Reiske.

Pausanias says that the following works of art were in the senate-house. "Βουλαίου δὲ ἐν αὐτῷ κεῖται ξόανον "Διὸς, καὶ ᾿Απόλλων, τέχνη Πεισίου, καὶ Δῆμος, ἔργον "Λύσωνος. τοὺς δὲ θεσμοθέτας ἔγραψε Πρωτογένης "ὁ Καύνιος." 1. 3. Demosthenes repeatedly refers to the senate-house. "ἐὰν μὲν ἡ βουλὴ στεφανοῖ, ἐν τῷ "Βουλευτηρίῳ ἀνειπεῖν, ἐὰν δὲ ἡ πόλις, ἐν Πνυκὶ ἐν τῷ "ἐκκλησίᾳ." De Cor. 244. "οἱ μὲν πρυτάνεις τὴν "βουλὴν ἐκάλουν εἰς τὸ Βουλευτήριον, ὑμεῖς δ' εἰς τὴν "ἐκκλησίαν ἐπορεύεσθε." Ibid. 284.

We have seen that the Tholus was close to the Senatehouse. Suidas says—" θόλος οἶκος περιφερής, ἐν ῷ οἰ "Πρυτάνεις εἰστιῷντο." in voc. " θόλος κυρίως μὲν

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" καμάρα καταχρηστικώς δὲ οἶκος εἰς οξὰ ἀπολήγουσαν " ἔχων τὴν στέγην κατασκευασμένος. ἡ ὅπου οἱ Πρυ- " τάνεις καὶ ἡ Βουλὴ συνεστιῶντο θηλυκῶς δὲ ἔλεγον " τὴν θόλον." Hesych. in voc. " ἐπειδὴ δὲ ὀλιγαρχία " ἐγένετο, οἱ τριάκοντα αὖ μεταπεμψάμενοί με πέμπτον " αὐτὸν εἰς τὴν θόλον." Plat. Apol. Socr. 32. c. Both Hesychius and Suidas give Σκιάς as another name for this building. "σκιάς τὸ Πρυτανεῖον." Hesych. "σκιάς " ἀναδενδράς σημαίνει δὲ καὶ τὸν παρὰ 'Αθηναίοις λε- "γόμενον θόλον." Suid. The Prytanes dined there daily. "ἡ θόλος ἐν ἡ συνεδείπνουν ἐκάστης ἡμέρας " πεντήκοντα τῆς τῶν πεντακοσίων βουλῆς, ἡ πρυτα- "νεύουσα φυλή." Pollux, 1x. 153.

Near the Tholus, and to the eastward of it, stood the bronze statues of the ten deified men, who gave their names to the 10 pulal of Athens. Suidas gives this account of them —" ἐπώνυμοι οι κατ' ἀρετὴν διαπρέπ-" οντες αστοί και ξένοι χαλκαις εικόσιν ετιμώντο ύφ " ὧν ἐνίων καὶ ταῖς φυλαῖς ἐτέθη ὀνόματα. Φασὶ δ' " ἐκείθεν πρώτον δόξαι τὰς φυλὰς ἐξηγήσασθαι. ἀπο-" ρούντων γάρ αὐτῶν ὄνομα ταῖς φυλαῖς θέσθαι, ἀπὸ " των ενδοξοτάτων τουτο ποιήσαι, και έκαστον έκατον " ὀνόματα ίδια γραψάμενον κληρώσαι. παρά γοῦν τὰς " εἰκόνας τῶν Ἐπωνύμων τούτων εἰσηγοῦντο τοὺς νό-" μους, πρίν ή γενέσθαι κυρίους "ιν έντυγχάνοντες αὐ-" τοις οι βουλόμενοι κατηγοροίεν. So Demosthenes -" ἔστιν, ὦ ἄνδρες Αθηναίοι, ἐν τοῖς οὖσι νόμοις ὑμῖν " κυρίοις διωρισμένα ἀκριβώς καὶ σαφώς πάνθ' ὅσα δεῖ " ποιείν περί των μελλόντων τεθήσεσθαι νόμων. \* \* \* " προστάττει πρώτον μεν εκθείναι πρόσθεν των επω" νύμων γράψαντα, σκοπείν τῷ βουλομένφ.' con. Timocr. 705.

The ten Eponymous heroes represented the confederated Attic nation; for every  $\delta\hat{\eta}\mu\sigma$ s was incorporated into some one  $\phi\nu\lambda\hat{\eta}$ ; and thus, the posting up of every new bill  $(\pi\rho\sigma\beta\sigma\dot{\nu}\lambda\epsilon\nu\mu a)$  which was to be proposed to the  $\dot{\epsilon}\kappa\kappa\lambda\eta\sigma\dot{\iota}a$ , on the statues of the  $\dot{\epsilon}\pi\dot{\omega}\nu\nu\mu\sigma\iota$ , was a public and fitting mode of proclamation to the whole Attic people.

Such were the buildings and statues immediately adjacent and connected by intimate political relations with the Pnyx.

The altar of the twelve gods stood in the Agora, probably near its centre. Thucydides thus speaks of it --" Πεισίστρατος ὁ 'Ιππίου τοῦ τυραννεύσαντος υίὸς, "τοῦ πάππου ἔχων τοὕνομα, ὃς τῶν δώδεκα θεῶν βωμὸν "τὸν ἐν τῷ ἀγορᾳ ἄρχων ἀνέθηκε, καὶ τὸν τοῦ 'Απόλλω-" νος ἐν Πυθίου. καὶ τῷ μὲν ἐν τῷ ἀγορᾳ προσοι-" κοδομήσας ὕστερον ὁ δῆμος 'Αθηναίων μεῖζον μῆκος, "τοῦ βωμοῦ ἠφάνισε τοὐπίγραμμα τοῦ δὲ ἐν Πυθίου " ἔτι καὶ νῦν δῆλόν ἐστιν, ἀμυδροῖς γράμμασι, λέγον "τάδε.

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Herodotus mentions it—" 'Αθηναίων ἱρὰ ποιεύντων " τοῖσι δώδεκα θεοῖσι ἰκέται ἰζόμενοι ἐπὶ τὸν βωμὸν ἐδί-" δοσαν σφέας αὐτούς," (sc. Platæenses.) vi. 108. This altar was the 'milliarium aureum' of Athens: from it all the roads in Attica were measured. Herodotus (11. 7) says—" ἔστι δὲ δδὸς ἐς τὴν 'Ηλίου πόλιν ἀπὸ " θαλάσσης ἄνω ἰόντι παραπλησίη τὸ μῆκος τῆ ἐξ 
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όρθῷ μετρήσω κανόνι προστιθεὶς ἵνα ό κύκλος γένηται τετράγωνος, κἀν μέσφ ἀγορά, φέρουσαι δ' ὧσιν εἰς αὐτὴν όδοὶ ὀρθαὶ πρὸς αὐτὸ τὸ μέσον, ὥσπερ δ' ἀστέρος, αὐτοῦ κυκλοτεροῦς ὄντος, ὀρθαὶ πανταχῆ ἀκτίνες ἀπολάμπωσιν. Ανες, 1004.

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This inscription was found on a marble, which the Turks had driven into the fortifications of the Acropolis. It must have stood on the road to the Peirseus.

<sup>\*</sup> Baëhr's note on this passage, and Böckh's commentary on the 12th inscription in his 'Corpus Inscriptionum,' should by all means be consulted. There is also a mutilated inscription, No. 825, which is thus restored.

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" ροιὰν, ἐν δὲ τῆ εὐωνύμφ κράνος, ἐτιμᾶτο. ὅτι δὲ ἐτι" μᾶτο παρ' ᾿Αθηναίοις, δεδήλωκεν Ἡλιόδωρος ἐν τῆ
" πρώτη περὶ ἀκροπόλεως." Euripides thus mentions the title—

σè—ẻμὰν
'Αθάναν ἰκετεύω,
\* \* \*
ω πότνα Νίκα.

Ion. 452.

μὰ τὴν παρασπίζουσαν ἄρμασίν ποτε Νίκην 'Αθάναν Ζηνὶ γηγενεῖς ἔπι. Ibid. 1528.

And Sophocles in the 'Philoctetes'—

Έρμῆς δ' ὁ πέμπων δόλιος ἡγήσαιτο νῷν Νίκα τ' Ἀθάνα Πολιάς, ἡ σώζει μ' ἀεί. 133

On which passage the scholiast says—" οὖτως ἡ πολιοῦ" χος ᾿Αθηνᾶ Νίκη καλεῖται ἐν τῷ ᾿Αττικῷ." Eustathius, ad Hom. Il. xxi. says—" ὁ Ζεὺς ἄμα γεννήσας αὐτὴν
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We have now finished the circuit of the Acropolis.

## THE PNYX AND AGORA.

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er from and applied to it, is a solid rectangular block, "hewn from the same rock. This is the 'Bema,' or "Rostra, from which the speakers in the assembly of " the Pnyx addressed the audience, who occupied the " semicircular area before them. The Bema looks " towards the north-east; that is, towards the ancient "Agora. Steps are hewn on either side of this rostrum, "by which the speaker mounted it; and at its base, on "the 2 sides of it, is a tier of 2 seats cut from the same "rock. This was the place provided for the public " assemblies at Athens in its most glorious times, and "nearly such as it was then, it is seen now. "Athenian orator spoke from a block of bare stone; " his audience sat before him on a blank and open "field." p. 64-5. The ground on which the audience assembled was an area of more than 12,000 yards. The whole free civic population of Athens could assemble there with ease. Plutarch, in his Life of Themistocles. says that the 30 tyrants altered the position of the Bema-" διὸ καὶ τὸ βημα τὸ ἐν Πνυκὶ πεποιημένον. " ώστ' ἀποβλέπειν πρὸς τήν θάλατταν, ὕστερον οἱ τριά-" κουτα πρὸς τὴν χώραν ἀπέστρεψαν, οἰόμενοι τὴν μὲν " κατά θάλατταν άρχην γένεσιν είναι δημοκρατίας, όλι-" γαρχία δε ήττον δυσχεραίνειν τούς γεωργούντας." ch. 19. The aspect of the Bema never was, and never could have been, altered; but, according to this statement, its position must have been lowered: and Dr. Wordsworth says (p. 73) that "there are very distinct " remains of another solid rectangular rock, in short, of "another Bema, which has evidently been mutilated, by

"design." But Forchhammer (p. 17) has the following judicious, though severe, remarks on the story told by Plutarch. "This anecdote." says he, "if literally under-"stood, is exceedingly absurd. Having mentioned that "Themistocles, by directing the minds of the Athenians "to the dominion of the sea, had encouraged democracy, "Plutarch continues" (Forchhammer then quotes the passage given in the text:) "This would indeed have " been the strangest means ever applied to such a pur-" pose, and a means, moreover, that required enormous "labour. One must see the high, long, smoothly-"worked wall of the rock, with the bema naturally "projecting from it; and, then, the large blocks of " rock, out of which the lower structure of the wide " semicircle has been fitted for the listening people; "and then ask oneself,-Is it likely that such an " enormous work has been carried out at such a time, "and for no other purpose, but to hinder the orator "from imbibing democratic notions, by turning his face "to the sea? And is it likely that this should have "been done by the Thirty, who never summoned an " assembly of the People, and knew how to change the "opinions of him who even in secret had expressed " democratical sentiments, not by enormous buildings, "but by a draught of poison? Surely our friend "Plutarch must have taken a joke in earnest, and, after " him, most of the moderns. But suppose the spot for " holding the popular assembly had been higher up in " the time of Themistocles, (for, from that now existing, " nobody yet has discovered the sea;) yet, if the town"wall had been so close to it, as the remains still existing "would show,\* the sea could not possibly have been perceived from the popular assembly." These objections seem unanswerable; and it is somewhat remarkable that Plutarch's story should have met with such general and inconsiderate belief.

It is natural to expect that the principal public buildings connected with the legislature and jurisprudence of the country, should be in the neighbourhood of the great place of popular assembly; and such was the fact. The Μητρώου, or Record Office, where the laws were kept; the Βουλευτήριον, where the council of 500 met; the Θόλος, where the Prytanes sacrificed and dined; the statues of the ἐπώνυμοι, to which it was required that all notices of resolutions to be proposed in the ἐκκλησία should be affixed;—all these were in the immediate vicinity of the Pnyx. Pausanias, in describing the buildings and works of art in the Agora (which he calls the Cerameicus,) says—" ωκοδόμηται δὲ " καλ μητρός θεών ίερόν, ην Φειδίας είργάσατο, καλ " πλησίον των πεντακοσίων βουλευτήριον, ο βουλεύ-" ουσιν ένιαυτον 'Αθηναίοις." τ. 3. " τοῦ βουλευτηρίου " πλησίον θόλος έστὶ καλουμένη, καὶ θύουσί τε ένταῦθα " οἱ Πρυτάνεις, καί τινα καὶ ἀργύρου πεποιημένα ἐστὶν " ἀγάλματα οὐ μεγάλα. ἀνωτέρω δὲ ἀνδριάντες ἐστή-" κασιν ήρώων, ἀφ' ὧν 'Αθηναίοις ὕστερον τὰ ὀνόματα " ἔσχον ai φυλαί." 1. 5.

Athenæus says—" Εἰς τὸ Μητρῷον, ὅπου τῶν δικῶν " ἦσαν αἰ γραφαί." Ιχ. 407. And, again, he mentions

<sup>\*</sup> Forchhammer is here arguing with those who believe that these are the remains of the oldest wall; but vid. pp. 14, 15.

one Apellicon, whose love of antiquities was occasionally indulged at the expense of his honesty; for we read of him,—" ἐκ τοῦ Μητρώου τῶν παλαιῶν αὐτόγραφα ψη-" φίσματα ὑφαιρούμενος ἐκτᾶτο, καὶ ἐκ τῶν ἄλλων " πόλεων εἴ τι παλαιὸν εἴη καὶ ἀπόθετον." V. 214. Suidas quotes Lycurgus to the same purpose—" Λυ-" κοῦργος ἐν τῷ κατὰ 'Αριστογείτονος' τοὺς νόμους " ἔθεντο ἀναγράψαντες\* ἐν τῷ Μητρώῳ." in νος. 'Μητρῷον.' Demosthenes corroborates this,—" ὑπὲρ τῆς " ἐξωμοσίας ἐν τοῖς κοινοῖς τοῖς ὑμετέροις γράμμασιν " ἐν τῷ Μητρῷφ ταῦτ' ἐστίν." De falsa Legat. 381.

Æschines confirms the statement of Pausanias, that the Βουλευτήριον was near the Μητρφον. " ἐν τοίνυν " τῷ Μητρώφ παρὰ τὸ βουλευτήριον." In Ctesiph. p. 576. Reiske.

Pausanias says that the following works of art were in the senate-house. "Βουλαίου δὲ ἐν αὐτῷ κεῖται ξόανον "Διὸς, καὶ ᾿Απόλλων, τέχνη Πεισίου, καὶ Δῆμος, ἔργον "Λύσωνος. τοὺς δὲ θεσμοθέτας ἔγραψε Πρωτογένης "ὁ Καύνιος." 1. 3. Demosthenes repeatedly refers to the senate-house. "ἐὰν μὲν ἡ βουλὴ στεφανοῖ, ἐν τῷ "Βουλευτηρίῳ ἀνειπεῖν, ἐὰν δὲ ἡ πόλις, ἐν Πνυκὶ ἐν τῷ "ἐκκλησίᾳ." De Cor. 244. "οἱ μὲν πρυτάνεις τὴν "βουλὴν ἐκάλουν εἰς τὸ Βουλευτήριον, ὑμεῖς δ' εἰς τὴν "ἐκκλησίαν ἐπορεύεσθε." Ιδίd. 284.

We have seen that the Tholus was close to the Senatehouse. Suidas says—" θόλος οἶκος περιφερής, ἐν δ οἱ " Πρυτάνεις εἰστιῷντο." in voc. " θόλος κυρίως μὲν

<sup>\*</sup> The MSS. have ἀναγράψαι, which is altered by Kuster to ἀναγράψαντες, οr, μετὰ τὸ ἀναγράψαι.

" καμάρα καταχρηστικώς δὲ οἶκος εἰς ὀξὺ ἀπολήγουσαν " ἔχων τὴν στέγην κατασκευασμένος. ἡ ὅπου οἱ Πρυ- " τάνεις καὶ ἡ Βουλὴ συνεστιῶντο θηλυκῶς δὲ ἔλεγον " τὴν θόλον." Hesych. in νος. " ἐπειδὴ δὲ ὀλιγαρχία " ἐγένετο, οἱ τριάκοντα αὖ μεταπεμψάμενοί με πέμπτον " αὐτὸν εἰς τὴν θόλον." Plat. Apol. Socr. 32. c. Both Hesychius and Suidas give Σκιάς as another name for this building. " σκιάς τὸ Πρυτανεῖον." Hesych. " σκιάς " ἀναδενδράς σημαίνει δὲ καὶ τὸν παρὰ 'Αθηναίοις λε- " γόμενον θόλον." Suid. The Prytanes dined there daily. " ἡ θόλος ἐν ἡ συνεδείπνουν ἑκάστης ἡμέρας " πεντήκοντα τῆς τῶν πεντακοσίων βουλῆς, ἡ πρυτα- " νεύουσα φυλή." Pollux, 1χ. 153.

Near the Tholus, and to the eastward of it, stood the bronze statues of the ten deified men, who gave their names to the 10 bulal of Athens. Suidas gives this account of them —" ἐπώνυμοι οἱ κατ' ἀρετὴν διαπρέπ-" οντες άστολ καλ ξένοι γαλκαις εικόσιν ετιμώντο υφ " ών ενίων και ταις φυλαις ετέθη ονόματα. Φασι δ' " ἐκείθεν πρώτον δόξαι τὰς φυλάς ἐξηγήσασθαι. ἀπο-" ρούντων γὰρ αὐτῶν ὄνομα ταῖς φυλαῖς θέσθαι, ἀπὸ " των ενδοξοτάτων τουτο ποιήσαι, και εκαστον εκατον " ονόματα ίδια γραψάμενον κληρώσαι. παρά γοῦν τὰς " εἰκόνας τῶν Ἐπωνύμων τούτων εἰσηγοῦντο τοὺς νό-" μους, πρίν ή γενέσθαι κυρίους "ιν έντυγχάνοντες αὐ-" τοις οι βουλόμενοι κατηγοροίεν. So Demosthenes -" ἔστιν, ο ἄνδρες Αθηναίοι, ἐν τοίς οὖσι νόμοις ὑμίν " κυρίοις διωρισμένα ἀκριβώς καὶ σαφώς πάνθ' ὅσα δεῖ " ποιείν περί των μελλόντων τεθήσεσθαι νόμων. \* \* \* " προστάττει πρώτον μέν έκθειναι πρόσθεν των έπω" νύμων γράψαντα, σκοπείν τῷ βουλομένφ." con. Timocr. 705.

The ten Eponymous heroes represented the confederated Attic nation; for every  $\delta\hat{\eta}\mu o_{S}$  was incorporated into some one  $\phi \nu \lambda \hat{\eta}$ ; and thus, the posting up of every new bill  $(\pi \rho o \beta o \hat{\nu} \lambda \epsilon \nu \mu a)$  which was to be proposed to the  $\hat{\epsilon}\kappa\kappa\lambda\eta\sigma \hat{\iota}a$ , on the statues of the  $\hat{\epsilon}\pi\acute{\omega}\nu\nu\mu o\iota$ , was a public and fitting mode of proclamation to the whole Attic people.

Such were the buildings and statues immediately adjacent and connected by intimate political relations with the Pnyx.

The altar of the twelve gods stood in the Agora, probably near its centre. Thucydides thus speaks of it --" Πεισίστρατος ο 'Ιππίου τοῦ τυραννεύσαντος υίὸς, "τοῦ πάππου ἔχων τοὕνομα, ὃς τῶν δώδεκα θεῶν βωμὸν "τὸν ἐν τῷ ἀγορῷ ἄρχων ἀνέθηκε, καὶ τὸν τοῦ 'Απόλλω-" νος ἐν Πυθίου. καὶ τῷ μὲν ἐν τῷ ἀγορῷ προσοι-" κοδομήσας ὕστερον ὁ δῆμος 'Αθηναίων μεῖζον μῆκος, "τοῦ βωμοῦ ἡφάνισε τοὖπίγραμμα τοῦ δὲ ἐν Πυθίου "ἔτι καὶ νῦν δῆλόν ἐστιν, ἀμυδροῖς γράμμασι, λέγον τάδε.

" μνημα τόδ' ης ἀρχης Πεισίστρατος Ίππίου υίδς " θηκεν Ἀπόλλωνος Πυθίου ἐν τεμένει." VI. 54.

Herodotus mentions it—" 'Αθηναίων ἱρὰ ποιεύντων " τοῖσι δώδεκα θεοῖσι ἰκέται ἰζόμενοι ἐπὶ τὸν βωμὸν ἐδί-" δοσαν σφέας αὐτούς," (sc. Platæenses.) vi. 108. This altar was the 'milliarium aureum' of Athens: from it all the roads in Attica were measured. Herodotus (11. 7) says—" ἔστι δὲ δδὸς ἐς τὴν 'Ηλίου πόλιν ἀπὸ " θαλάσσης ἄνω ἰόντι παραπλησίη τὸ μῆκος τῆ ἐξ 
" ᾿Αθηνέων ὁδῷ, τῆ ἀπὸ τῶν δυώδεκα θεῶν τοῦ βωμοῦ 
" φερούση ἔς τε Πίσαν καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν νηὸν τοῦ Διὸς τοῦ 
" ᾿Ολυμπίου.' \* Aristophanes was really thinking of 
Athens, when he made Meton thus speak of dividing 
the realms of air—

ορθώ μετρήσω κανόνι προστιθείς ΐνα ὁ κύκλος γένηται τετράγωνος, κάν μέσω ἀγορά, φέρουσαι δ' ὧσιν είς αὐτὴν ὁδοὶ ὀρθαὶ πρὸς αὐτὸ τὸ μέσον, ὥσπερ δ' ἀστέρος, αὐτοῦ κυκλοτεροῦς ὅντος, ὀρθαὶ πανταχῆ ἀκτίνες ἀπολάμπωσιν. Aves, 1004.

To the eastward of the statues of the Eponymi, amongst other statues, was that of Demosthenes. The temple of Mars stood on the southern side of his own hill; and, beyond the statue of Demosthenes, were the statues of Harmodius and Aristogeiton, which stood at the eastern limit of the Agora, at the foot of the slope of the Acropolis. "μετὰ δὲ τὰς εἰκόνας τῶν ἐπωνύμων "ἐστὶν ἀγάλματα θεῶν \* \* \* ἔστι δὲ καὶ Δημοσθένης "\* \* \* τῆς δὲ τοῦ Δημοσθένους εἰκόνος πλησίον "\*Αρεώς ἐστιν ἱερόν \* \* \* οὐ πόρὸω δὲ ἑστᾶσιν 'Αρ-" μόδιος καὶ 'Αριστογείτων οἱ κτείναντες "Ιππαρχον."

This inscription was found on a marble, which the Turks had driven into the fortifications of the Acropolis. It must have stood on the road to the Peirseus.

<sup>\*</sup> Baëhr's note on this passage, and Böckh's commentary on the 12th inscription in his 'Corpus Inscriptionum,' should by all means be consulted. There is also a mutilated inscription, No. 825, which is thus restored.

ή πόλις ἔστησέν με βροτοῖς μνημεῖον ἄληθες, πᾶσιν σημαίνειν μέτρον όδοιπορίας ἔστιν γὰρ τὸ μεταξὸ θεῶν πρὸς δώδεκα βωμὸν ἔξ καὶ τεσσαράκοντ' ἐκ λιμένος στάδιοι.

Pausan. 1. 8. These two last statues were made of bronze. Xerxes carried them away, but Alexander restored them, or, at least, ordered their restoration.

Arrian says—" πολλὰ μὲν καὶ ἄλλα κατελήφθη αὖ" τοῦ, ὅσα Ξέρξης ἀπὸ τῆς Ἑλλάδος ἄγων ῆλθε τά τε
" ἄλλα καὶ 'Αρμοδίου καὶ 'Αριστογείτονος χαλκαῖ εἰ" κόνες καὶ ταύτας 'Αθηναίοις πέμπει ὀπίσω 'Αλέξ" ανδρος, καὶ νῦν κεῖνται 'Αθήνησιν ἐν Κεραμεικῷ αἰ
" εἰκόνες, ἦ ἀνίμεν ἐς πόλιν καταντικρὰ τοῦ Μητρώου."

De Exped. Alex. 111. 16. Pliny tells the same story.

He says that Praxiteles was the sculptor who executed these statues—"Praxiteles \* \* fecit \* \* Harmodium
" et Aristogitonem tyrannicidas, quos a Xerxe Persarum
" rege captos victa Perside Atheniensibus remisit Magnus
" Alexander." Plin. N. H. XXXIV. viii. 10.\* Valerius

Maximus (II. x. 1. Extern.) says that Seleucus restored them; and Pausanias gives the credit of the restoration to Antiochus.

At the southern end of the Agora stood the Φερρεφάττιον, or temple of Proserpine. At the northern end stood the Λεωκόριον; and this northern end led to the quarter

<sup>\*</sup> Pliny is here guilty of a gross anachronism, for Praxiteles lived in the time of Alexander the Great. Possibly Praxiteles executed a fresh pair of statues. With regard to Harmodius and Aristogeiten, they have fared luckily: they seem to have known "where a commodity of "good names was to be bought." Men degraded by infamous immorality,—mere vulgar assassins, who disguised a foul spirit of revenge under the mask of patriotism,—they were nevertheless reverenced by their countrymen as heroes. But, however the mob of Athenians may have been led, by the love of their democratical form of government, to pay extraordinary honour to men, whom they erroneously believed to have been the champions of national freedom; no excuse can justify us in regarding such characters with any other feelings than those of disgust and abhorrence. Surely, no virtuous Athenian could have beheld the statues of these men, without a blush of shame!

of the city called Μελίτη. A passage in Demosthenes illustrates these several positions—" περιπατοῦντος, ώσ-" περ εἰώθειν, ἐσπέρας ἐν ἀγορῷ \* \* \* παρέρχεται Κτη-" σίας μεθύων κατά τὸ Λεωκόριον κατιδών δὲ ήμᾶς καὶ " κραυγάσας και διαλεχθείς τι πρός αύτον ούτως, ώς " αν μεθύων, ώστε μη μαθείν ο τι λέγοι, παρήλθε πρός " Μελίτην ἄνω ἔπινον γὰρ ἐνταῦθα (ταῦτα γὰρ ὕστερον " ἐπυθόμεθα) Κόνων ούτοσὶ, Θεότιμός τις, Σπίνθαρος " ο Εύβούλου, Θεογένης ο 'Ανδρομένους, πολλοί τινες" " οθε έξαναστήσας ὁ Κτησίας ἐπορεύετο κατ' ἀγοράν. " καλ ήμιν συμβαίνει αναστρέφουσιν από τοῦ Φερρεφατ-" τίου καλ περιπατοῦσι πάλιν κατ' αὐτό πως τὸ Λεωκό-" ριον είναι καὶ τούτοις περιτυγγάνομεν." contra Conon. 1258-9. And Hesychius calls the Φερρεφάττιον, " τόπος ἐν ἀγορᾶ."\* The plaintiff therefore took a stroll in the evening up and down the Agora; much as Horace amused himself in the forum at Rome.

- 'Fallacem Circum vespertinumque pererro
- 'Sæpe forum.' Sat. I. vi. 113.

Hesychius gives the following explanation of the word Λεωκόριον. " τῶν Λεῶ θυγατέρων μνημεῖον, τὸ " καλούμενον Λεωκόριον, ἐν μέσφ τῷ Κεραμεικῷ." And Photius says—" Λεωκόριον ἱερὸν 'Αθήνησι, τοῦ δὲ Λεὼ " θυγατέρες ἐγένοντο τρεῖς Φασιθέα, Θεόπη, Εὐβούλη· " αὶ παρθένοι ὑπὲρ τῆς πόλεως ἐσφαγιάσθησαν κατὰ " χρόνον, ἐκόντος τοῦ πατρὸς ἐπιδόντος. 'Ο δὲ Λεὼς

<sup>\*</sup> Forehhammer must have overlooked this passage in Hesychius; for he places the  $\Phi\epsilon\rho\dot{\rho}\epsilon\phi d\tau\tau\iota\omega\nu$  on the south bank of the Ilissus: but this he did, to carry out his idea of the extent of the Cerameicus, to which he has given a most exaggerated length.

" υίὸς ην 'Ορφέως, η [ fors. οδ] ἐπώνυμος καὶ η Λεοντίς φυλή." The scholiast on the word Λεωκόριον in Thucydides (1.20) says-" ελίμωξε ποτε ή Αττική, καλ λύσις ήν " των δεινών παίδων σφαγή. Λεώς οὖν τις τὰς έαυτοῦ " κόρας ἐπιδέδωκε καὶ ἀπήλλαξε τοῦ λιμοῦ τὴν πόλιν. " καὶ τούτων ἱερὸν ἐγένετο ἐν τῆ ᾿Αττικῆ, τὸ καλούμενον " Λεωκόριον." Cicero mentions the temple—" In ple-"risque civitatibus intelligi potest augendæ virtutis " gratia, quo libentius reipublicæ causa periculum adiret " optimus quisque, virorum fortium memoriam honore " deorum immortalium consecratam. Ob eam enim "ipsam causam Erectheus Athenis filiæque ejus in "numero deorum sunt. Itemque Leoidum est delubrum "Athenis, quod Leocorion vocatur." De Nat. Deor. 111. 19.

We have already seen (p. 11.) that Pausanias begins his description of Athens from the gate called in the map  $\Delta i \pi \nu \lambda o \nu$ . The first objects on entering this gate were, the Πομπεῖον, a temple of Ceres, the στοὰ βασίλειος, the στοὰ οΓ Ζεὺς Ἐλευθέριος, and the temple of Apollo Πατρῷος. Εἰσελθόντων δὲ εἰς τὴν πόλιν, οἰκο"δόμημα ἐς παρασκευήν ἐστι τῶν πομπῶν ᾶς πέμπουσι, "τὰς μὲν ἄνα πᾶν ἔτος," (he means the lesser Panathenæa) "τὰς δὲ καὶ χρόνον διαλείποντος," (he means the greater Panathenæa, which were celebrated every 4th year) "καὶ πλησίον ναός ἐστι Δήμητρος. \* \* \* "στοαὶ δὲ εἰσιν ἀπὸ τῶν πυλῶν ἐς τὸν Κεραμεικόν, καὶ "εἰκόνες πρὸ αὐτῶν χαλκαῖ καὶ γυναικῶν καὶ ἀνδρῶν, "ὅσοις τι ὑπῆρχε, καὶ ὧν τις λόγος ἐς δόξαν. ἡ δὲ "ἐτέρα τῶν στοῶν ἔχει μὲν ἱερὰ θεῶν, ἔχει δὲ γυμνά-

" σιον Ερμοῦ καλούμενον. ἔστι δὲ ἐν αὐτῆ Πολυτίωνος " οἰκία, καθ' ἡν παρὰ τὴν ἐν Ἐλευσῖνι δρᾶσαι τελετὴν " `Αθηναίων φασίν οὐ τοὺς ἀφανεστάτους." 1. 2. (He alludes here to the mock celebration of the Eleusinian mysteries by Alcibiades.) "πρώτη δέ ἐστιν ἐν δεξιậ " καλουμένη στοά βασίλειος, ένθα καθίζει βασιλεύς " ἐνιαυσίαν ἄρχων ἀρχὴν καλουμένην βασιλείαν. \* \* \* " ἐνταῦθα ἔστηκε Ζεὺς ὀνομαζόμενος Ἐλευθέριος. \* \* \* " στοὰ δὲ ὅπισθεν φκοδόμηται γραφάς ἔχουσα θεοὺς " δώδεκα καλουμένους. \* \* \* ταύτας τὰς γραφὰς " Εὐφράνωρ ἔγραψεν 'Αθηναίοις, καὶ πλησίον ἐποίησεν " ἐν τῷ ναῷ τὸν ᾿Απόλλωνα Πατρῷον ἐπίκλησιν." 1. 3. The Πομπείον was a building in which the vessels, ornaments, and images, whether of gold or silver  $(\pi o \mu \pi \epsilon \hat{i} a)$ used in sacred processions, were kept. Hesychius seems to confound the two words, for he says—" πομπεία τὰ " πρὸς τὰς πομπὰς σκεύη ἡ τόποι ἐν οἶς τὰ ἐκ τῆς " πομπής ἀποτίθεται." Demosthenes mentions the building: " καὶ ταύτα πάντες ἴστε ἐν τῶ Πομπείω δια-"μετρούμενοι." adv. Phorm. 918. The sacred vessels kept here must have been of great value; for Thucydides, and, after him, Diodorus Siculus, specify these in their enumeration of the resources of Athens-" χωρίς δέ " χρυσίου ασήμου καὶ αργυρίου έν τε αναθήμασιν ίδίοις " καὶ δημοσίοις καὶ ὅσα ἱερὰ σκεύη περί τε τὰς πομπὰς " καὶ τοὺς ἀγῶνας καὶ σκῦλα Μηδικὰ καὶ εἴ τι τοιουτό-" τροπον, οὐκ ἐλάσσονος ἦν ἡ πεντακοσίων ταλάντων." Thucyd. 11. 13. " χωρίς δὲ τούτων τά τε πομπεία " σκεύη καὶ τὰ Μηδικὰ σκῦλα πεντακοσίων ἄξια ταλάν-" των ἀπεφήνατο." Diod. Sic. XII. 40.\*

<sup>\*</sup> Forchhammer, in support of his theory respecting the gate from

It was natural that a temple of the goddess worshipped at Eleusis should stand, as we learn from Pausanias that it did, near the  $\Pi o\mu \pi \epsilon \hat{i} o\nu$ .

The βασιλειος στοά was the building in which the ἄρχων βασιλεύς held his court; and it stood near the στοά ος Ζεὺς Ἑλευθέριος. "δύο εἰσὶ στοαὶ παρ' ἀλλήλας, " ἡ τε τοῦ Ἐλευθερίου Διὸς καὶ ἡ βασίλειος." Suid. in voc. 'βασίλειος.' The court of Areiopagus sometimes held its sittings in the βασίλειος στοά. " τὸ τὴν 'Αρείου '΄ πάγου βουλὴν ὅταν ἐν τῆ βασιλείω στοῦ καθεζομένη " περισχοινίσηται, κατὰ πολλὴν ἡσυχίαν ἐψ' ἑαυτῆς '΄ εἶναι.'' Demosth. contra Aristog. 776.

The author of the letters of Æschines says, that the Thebans fined Pindar for panegyrizing Athens; on which the Athenians—" διπλὴν αὐτῷ τὴν ζημίαν ἀπ-" έδοσαν, μετὰ τοῦ ἐἰκόνι χαλκἢ τιμῆσαι καὶ ἦν αὐτὴ "καὶ εἰς ἡμᾶς ἔτι, πρὸ τῆς βασιλείου στοᾶς, καθήμενος " ἐνδύματι καὶ λύρᾳ ὁ Πίνδαρος, διάδημα ἔχων καὶ ἐπὶ τῶν γονάτων ἀνειλιγμένον βιβλίον." Ερ. 4. Aristo-

which Pausanias started, places the Πομπεΐον immediately inside the Peiraic gate. It is not easy to understand why such a building should have stood in so inconvenient a place: the objection to the obvious impropriety of such a position is not removed by M. Forchhammer's rather irrelevant remark—"Were we to suppose that Pausanias in—"tended to allude to the Panathenaic procession, the distance of this "Πομπεῖον from the place where the Panathenaic processions began, in "the Outer Cerameicus, would no more furnish a reason against the "position I have assigned to it, than the fact that the regalia used in "the coronation of the kings of England are kept in the Tower, would prove that the Tower was close to Westminster Abbey." p. 31. Probably, the regalia would not be kept in the Tower, if they were wanted as often as the vessels in the Πομπεῖον, instead of being required only a few times in a century. Forchhammer thinks that the vessels of the Πομπεῖον were not used in the Panathenaic, but only in the Eleusinian, processions. But supposing this were the case, the objection lies just as strong against the fitness of this site of the building.

phanes says—

και κηρύξει τους έκ του βητ' έπι την στοιάν άκολουθείν

την βασίλειον δειπνήσουτας το δε θητ' ες την παρά ταύτην. Eccles. 684.

By the last words, την παρὰ ταύτην, the poet undoubtedly means the στοὰ Διὸς Ἐλευθερίου. The poet's two tickets were as near each other in name, as the portices were in place. Suidas says—" ἐλευθέριος ὁ Ζεὺς ὅ διὰ τοῦτο ἐκλήθη διὰ τὸ τοὺς ἐξελευθέρους (libertos) "την στοὰν οἰκοδομήσαι την πλησίον αὐτοῦ. οὕτω μὲν "'Υπερίδης. ὁ δὲ Δίδυμος, οὐ διὰ τοῦτο φησὶν, ἀλλὰ " διὰ τὸ τῆς Μηδικῆς δουλείας καὶ ἐπικρατείας ἀπαλ- ''λαγῆναι τοὺς 'Αθηναίους." in voc.

The shields of distinguished Athenians who perished in battle were sometimes suspended in the portico of Jupiter. Pausanias specifies Leocritus, as having received this honour—"και οἱ πεσόντι ἐν τῆ μάχη τιμαὶ "παρ' ᾿Αθηναίων καὶ ἄλλαι γεγόνασι, καὶ τὴν ἀσπίδα "ἀνέθεσαν τῷ Διὰ τῷ Ἐλευθερίῳ, τὸ ὄνομα Λεωκρίτου "καὶ τὸ κατόρθωμα ἐπυγράψαντες." I. xxvi. 2. Cydias also is commemorated, who was killed in battle with the Gauls—"τὴν ἀσπίδα οἱ προσήκοντες ἀνέθεσαν τῷ Ἐλευ-"θεριφ Διί· καὶ ἢν τὸ ἐπίγραμμα· \* \* \* τοῦτο μὲν δὴ "ἐπεγέγραπτο, πρὶν ἢ τοὺς ὁμοῦ Σύλλα καὶ ἄλλα τῶν "᾿Αθήνησι, καὶ τὰς ἐν τῷ στοῷ τοῦ Ἐλευθερίου Διὸς "καθελεῖν ἀσπίδας." X. xxi. 3.

The worship of Apollo was introduced into Athens by the Ionians.\* He was called  $\Pi a \tau \rho \hat{\varphi} o s$ , either because

<sup>\*</sup> On this subject, see 'Muller's History of the Dorians,' b. II. ch. II. 13 and 15.

he was the father of Ion, or because he was the god of the πατραί of the Ionians. Demosthenes thus invokes him—"καλῶ δ' ἐναντίον ὑμῶν, ὧ ἄνδρες 'Αθηναῖοι, τοὺς " θεοὺς ἄπαντας καὶ πάσας, ὅσοι τὴν χώραν ἔχουσι τὴν " 'Αττικήν, καὶ τὸν 'Απόλλω τὸν Πύθιον, δς πατρῷός " ἐστι τῷ πόλει." De Cor. 274.

The naval car, which carried the sacred Peplos in the great Panathenaic procession, was kept in this temple of Apollo, "to be exhibited" (as Dr. Wordsworth says) "in after times, as an object of admiration to travellers. " when it had ceased to perform its festal voyages; as "the ducal barge of Venice, the Bucentoro, in which " the Doge solemnized the annual marriage of the sea, " is now preserved for the same purpose in the Venetian "Arsenal." Ch. 23. p. 186. Pausanias says, that the vessel was kept "near the Areiopagus," a situation which perfectly agrees with his description of the site of the temple of Apollo Πατρώος.—" του δε 'Αρείου " πάγου πλησίον δείκνυται ναθε ποιηθείσα είς τὴν τῶν " Παναθηναίων πομπήν." Ι. xxix. i. The Mother of the gods, and the Father of the people, naturally had their temples near each other.

Pausanias states, that the temple of Vulcan was above, or to the north of, the βασίλειος στοά; and, proceeding eastward on his route, he comes to the statue of Mercury 'Αγοραῖος, and the famous ποικίλη στοά. "ὑπὲρ δὲ τὸν Κεραμεικὸν καὶ στοὰν τὴν καλου-" μένην βασίλειον ναός ἐστιν 'Ηφαίστου \* \* \* ἰοῦσι " δὲ πρὸς τὴν στοὰν ῆν ποικίλην ὀνομάζουσιν ἀπὸ τῶν "γραφῶν, ἔστιν Ἑρμῆς χαλκοῦς καλούμενος 'Αγοραῖος,

" καὶ πύλη πλησίον ἔπεστι δέ οἱ τρόπαιον Αθηναίον " ἱππομαχία κρατησάντων Πλείσταρχον." 1. 14, 15. Pausanias then describes the pictures in the ποικίλη στοά, with great minuteness. They were in three great compartments. The first contained a picture of the battle of Œnoe, or, rather, of the combatants drawn up in battle array against each other, before closing in action. The centre compartment represented Theseus fighting the Amazons. The last compartment contained the famous picture of the battle of Marathon.

Pausanias thus describes it—" τελευταΐον δὲ τῆς " γραφής είσιν οί μαχησάμενοι Μαραθώνι. Βοιωτών δέ ι οι Πλάταιαν έχουτες καὶ ὅσον ἢν ᾿Αττικόν, ἴασιν ἐς " χείρας τοίς βαρβάροις και ταύτη μέν έστιν ίσα παρ " άμφοτέρων ες τὸ έργον, τὸ δὲ έσω τῆς μάχης, φεύγον-" τές είσιν οι βάρβαροι και ές τὸ έλος ωθουντες άλλή-" λους. ἔσχατα δὲ τῆς γραφῆς νῆές τε αἱ Φοίνισσαι, " καὶ τῶν βαρβάρων τοὺς ἐσπίπτοντας ἐς ταύτας φονεύ-" οντες οί Ελληνες. ἐνταῦθα καὶ Μαραθών γεγραμμένος " έστιν ήρως, ἀφ' οὖ τὸ πέδιον ωνόμασται, και Θησεύς " ἀνιόντι ἐκ γῆς εἰκασμένος, Αθηνά τε καὶ Ἡρακλῆς. " Μαραθωνίοις γάρ, ώς αὐτοὶ λέγουσιν, Ήρακλης ένο-" μίσθη θεὸς ἐν πρώτοις. τῶν μαχομένων δὲ δῆλοι " μάλιστά είσιν εν τη γραφή Καλλίμαχός τε δε 'Αθη-" ναίοις πολεμαργείν ήρητο, καὶ Μιλτιάδης τῶν στρατη-" γούντων, ήρως τε Εχετλος καλούμενος, οὖ καὶ ὕστερον " ποιήσομαι μνήμην." Pausan. 1. 15. " Huic Miltiadi. " qui Athenas totamque Græciam liberavit, talis honos "tributus est, in porticu quæ Pœcile vocatur, quum " pugna depingeretur Marathonia, ut in decem præ"torum numero prima ejus imago poneretur, isque "hortaretur milites, præliumque committeret." Corn. Nep. Miltiad. 6. This was the στοά which gave name to the Stoic school of philosophy.

"Quæque docet sapiens braccatis illita Medis
"Porticus." Pers. 111. 53.

Diogenes Laertius, lib. VII, 1. 6, says of Zeno—" ἀνα" κάμπτων δὲ ἐν τἢ ποικίλη στοᾳ τἢ καὶ Πεισιανακτείφ
" καλουμένη, ἀπὸ δὲ τῆς γραφῆς τῆς Πολυγνώτου,
" Ποικίλη, διέθετο τοὺς λόγους, βουλόμενος καὶ τὸ χω" ρίον ἀπερίστατον ποιῆσαι. ἐπὶ γὰρ τῶν τριάκοντα,
" τῶν πολιτῶν πρὸς τοὺς χιλίους τετρακοσίους ἀνήρηντο
" ἐν αὐτῷ. προσήεσαν δὲ λοιπὸν ἀκούοντες αὐτοῦ, καὶ
" διὰ τοῦτο Στωϊκοὶ ἐκλήθησαν καὶ οἱ ἀπὰ αὐτοῦ ὁμοίως,
" πρότερον Ζηνώνειοι καλούμενοι." Pliny speaks of
Polygnotus as one of the painters of the ποικίλη στοά—
" Hic (Polygnotus Thasius) et Athenis porticum, que
" Pœcile vocatur, gratuito, cum partem ejus Micon
" mercede pingeret: unde major hdic auctoritas."
N. H. XXXV. IX. 35.

The temple of Vulcan stood beyond the Agora,  $\dot{\nu}\pi\dot{\epsilon}\rho$  τὸν Κεραμεικόν, in the district of the urban Colonus. The bronze statue of Mercury 'Αγοραίος stood near; and the  $\piοικίλη$  στοά, which was close at hand, must have stood at the northern entrance of the Agora. This statue of Mercury is called by Harpocration 'Ερμῆς ὁ πρὸς τῷ πυλίδι. Lucian, Jup. Trag. 33, says—" ὁ " σὸς, & 'Ερμῆ, ἀδελφός ἐστιν, ὁ ἀγοραίος, ὁ παρὰ τὴν " ποικίλην." Demosthenes says—"  $\pi\epsilon\rho$ ὶ τὸν 'Ερμῆν τὸν " πρός τῷ πυλίδι προσεκαλεσάμην." contr. Everg. 1146.

The gate, near which this statue of Mercury stood, is taken, by the generality of modern topographers, to mean the "gate of the Agora." Forchammer denies the propriety of this: he thinks that this  $\pi\nu\lambda$ /s was a triumphal arch, not a gate, in the proper sense of the word;—and that it is improperly called  $\pi\nu\lambda$ , by Pausanias. He quotes a scholiast on Aristophanes, Equit. 297, to show that the statue did not stand at the entrance, but in the middle, of the Agora. The verse is—

νη τον Έρμην τον Αγοραίον, κάπιορκώ γε βλεπόντων.

On which the scholiast says—" ἐν μέση ἀγορᾶ ἴδρυται 'Ερμοῦ 'Αγοραίου ἄγαλμα." Without interpreting the expression, 'in the midst of the Agora,' too strictly, it must certainly be granted that such an expression is inconsistent with the idea of the statue having stood at the entrance of the Agora. But the word 'Agora' was probably used by the scholiast in a loose and indefinite 'way; and he makes no mention of the 'Gate.' A triumphal arch would certainly have been a natural entrance; just as the Fabian arch formed the entrance to the 'Roman Forum.' Harpocration, loc. laud. says—"Φιλόχορος ἐν τῷ πέμπτῳ 'Ατθίδος φησὶ περὶ τοῦ πρὸς "τῆ πυλίδι 'Ερμοῦ, ὡς ἀρξάμενοι τειχίζειν τὸν Πειραιᾶ "οἱ ἐννέα ἄρχοντες τοῦτον ἀναθέντες ἐπέγραψαν.

άρξάμενοι πρώτοι τειχίζειν τόνδ' ἀνέθηκανβουλής καὶ δήμου δόγμασι πειθόμενοι."

The famous  $\pi o \iota \kappa i \lambda \eta$   $\sigma \tau o \acute{a}$  gained its name from its magnificent gallery of pictures; but it also contained

some shields affixed to its walls. " ἐνταῦθα ἀσπίδες κεῖν-" ται χαλκαῖ, καὶ ταῖς μέν ἐστιν ἐπίγραμμα, ἀπὸ Σκιω-" ναίων καὶ τῶν ἐπικούρων εἶναι· τὰς δὲ ἐπαληλιμμένας " πίσση, μὴ σφᾶς ὅ τε χρόνος λυμήνηται καὶ ὅσα " Λακεδαιμονίων εἶναι λέγεται τῶν ἀλόντων ἐν τῆ " Σφακτηρία νήσω." Pausan. 1. 15. These shields are referred to with great pride by Cleon, in the play of the 'Knights:'—

άπαξάπαντας τοὺς ἐμοὺς ἐχθροὺς ἐπιστομίζειν ἐὼς ἃν ἢ τῶν ἀσπίδων τῶν ἐκ Πύλου τι λοιπόν.

v. 845.

It is improbable, however, that the original shields should have been there in the time of Pausanias: the Lacedæmonians would assuredly have removed them, when they occupied Athens, at the end of the Peloponnesian War.

Æschines speaks of the ποικίλη στοά as being in the Agora. "προσέλθετε δὴ τῷ διανοία καὶ εἰς τὴν " στοὰν τὴν ποικίλην. ἀπάντων γὰρ ὑμῖν τῶν καλῶν " ἔργων τὰ ὑπομνήματα ἐν τῷ ἀγορῷ ἀνάκειται. τί οὖν " ἔστιν, ὧ ἄνδρες 'Αθηναῖοι, δ ἐγὼ λέγω; ἐνταῦθα ἡ ἐν " Μαραθῶνι μάχη γέγραπται." In Ctesiph. 437. Reiske.

Hermæ were square columns, surmounted with the head of a deity, or man: a row of them ran from the βασίλειος στοά to the ποικίλη στοά. Harpocration has the following, under the word Έρμαὶ:—" Μενεκλῆς ἡ " Καλλίστρατος ἐν τῷ περὶ 'Αθηναίων γράφει· ἀπὸ γὰρ "τῆς ποικίλης καὶ τὴς τοῦ βασιλέως στοᾶς εἰσιν οἱ Έρ-" μαὶ καλούμενοι." Thucydides explains the word—" ἐν δὲ τούτφ ὅσοι Ἑρμαὶ ἦσαν λίθινοι ἐν τῷ πόλει τῶν

" 'Αθηναιων (εἰσὶ δὲ κατὰ τὸ ἐπιχώριον ἡ τετράγωνος 
" ἐργασία, πολλοὶ καὶ ἐν ἰδίοις προθύροις καὶ ἐν ἱεροῖς) 
" μιῷ νυκτὶ οἱ πλεῖστοι περιεκόπησαν τὰ πρόσωπα." 

VI. 27. Æschines refers to this street of Hermæ— 
" ἔδωκεν αὐτοῖς ὁ δῆμος τιμὰς μεγάλας, ὡς τότ ἐδόκει, 
" τρεῖς λιθίνους Ἑρμᾶς, στήσας ἐν τῷ στοῷ τῷ τῶν Ἑρ- 
" μῶν ἐψ' ῷτε μὴ ἐπιγράφειν τὰ ὀνόματα." In Ctesiph. 
435. And he then quotes some inscriptions on Hermæ. 
Hesychius describes Ἱππάρχειοι Ἑρμαῖ thus—" ας ἀνέ- 
" στησεν Ἰππαρχος στήλας, ἐγγράψας εἰς αὐτὰς ἐλεγεῖα, 
" ἐξ ὧν ἔμελλον βελτίους οἱ ἀναγινώσκοντες γένεσθαι." 
Böckh gives a copy of a very ancient Hermes, with 
a verse on it, which he deciphers, and represents in the 
following manner—

ἐν μέσσφ γε Θρίης τε καὶ ἄστεος, ἄνερ, ὅθ' Ἑρμῆς.
Corp. Inscr. n. 12.\*

Hipparchus made use of these Hermæ as mile-stones, and direction-posts.

<sup>\* \*</sup> Böckh's commentary on this Inscription should by all means be consulted.

#### THE HILL OF MARS.

The Hill of Mars, or Areiopagus, was divided by a narrow valley from the western side of the Acropolis. It ran in a north-westerly direction, forming the northern limit of the Agora. The Acropolis was assailable only from the west. The Areiopagus, therefore, was the ground occupied by Xerxes, when he besieged the citadel. "οί δὲ Πέρσαι ἰζόμενοι ἐπὶ τὸν καταντίον " της ἀκροπόλιος ὄχθον, τὸν 'Αθηναῖοι καλοῦσιν 'Αρητον " πάγον, ἐπολιόρκεον τρόπον τοίονδε." Herod. VIII. 52. Pausanias thus describes the Hill-" ἔστι δὲ "Αρειος " πάγος καλούμενος, ὅτι πρῶτος Αρης ἐνταῦθα ἐκρίθη· " καί μοι καὶ ταῦτα δεδήλωκεν ὁ λόγος, ώς Αλιρρόθιον " ἀνέλοι, καὶ ἐφ' ὅτφ κτείνειε. κριθήναι δὲ καὶ ὕστερον " 'Ορέστην λέγουσιν έπὶ τῷ φόνω τῆς μητρός καὶ βω-" μός έστιν 'Αθηνας 'Αρείας, δν ανέθηκεν αποφυγών την " δίκην' τοὺς δὲ ἀργοὺς λίθους ἐφ' ὧν ἑστᾶσιν ὅσοι δίκας " ὑπέχουσι καὶ οἱ διώκοντες, τὸν μὲν ὕβρεως τὸν δὲ " αναιτίας αὐτοῖς ονομάζουσι. πλησίον δὲ ἱερον Θεῶν " έστιν, ᾶς καλοῦσιν Αθηναῖοι Σεμνάς. \* \* \* ἔστι δὲ " έντὸς τοῦ περιβόλου μνημα Οἰδίποδος. πολυπραγ-" μονών δὲ εὕρισκον τὰ ὀστᾶ ἐκ Θηβών κομισθέντα. " τὰ γὰρ ἐς τὸν θάνατον Σοφοκλεῖ πεποιημένα τὸν

" Οἰδίποδος, "Ομηρος οὐκ εἴα μοι δόξαι πιστά, δε ἔφη " Μηκιστέα, τελευτήσαντος Οἰδίποδος, ἐπιτάφιον (sc. " ἀγῶνα) ἐλθόντα ἐς Θήβας ἀγωνίσασθαι." 1. 28. The passage in Homer to which he refers is this—

Μηκιστέος υίος Ταλαϊονίδαο ἄνακτος, δε ποτε Θήβαςδ' ήλθε δεδουπότος Οἰδιπόδαο ἐς τάφον' ἔνθα δὲ πάντας ἐνίκα Καδμείωνας.

*II*. xxIII. 678.

Dr. Wordsworth thus describes the present appearance of the Areiopagus, and the temple of the Seuval Heal-" Sixteen stone steps cut in the rock, at its south-"east angle, lead up to the Hill of the Areopagus from "the valley of the Agora, which lies between it and the "Pnyx. This angle seems to be the point of the hill "on which the Council of the Areopagus sat. "diately above the steps, on the level of the hill, is "a bench of stone, excavated in the lime-stone rock. " forming three sides of a triangle, like a triclinium: it " faces the south: on its east and west sides is a raised " block; the former (i. e. the triangular bench) may "have been the tribunal; the two latter the rude " stones which Pausanias saw here, and which are "described by Euripides, as assigned, the one to the "accuser, the other to the criminal, in the causes "which were tried in this court. There the Areopagites,

<sup>\*</sup> So Dr. Wordsworth translates the expression αργούς λίθους. (The MSS. have αργυροῦς λίθους, which is, of course, unintelligible.) And it is certain that Pausanias uses the word αργός in the sense of uncoined—unfashioned—unwrought—καὶ ἀργὸν τὸν ἄργυρον καὶ χρυσόν. III. 12. It may, however, be doubted whether the word should not be translated 'white' in the present passage.

"distinguished alike for their character, rank, and official dignity, sat as judges, on a rocky hill in the open air." p. 74. The following is the passage cited by Dr. Wordsworth—

ώς δ' εἰς ᾿Αρειον ὅχθον ἦκον ἐς δίκην τ' ἔστην, ἐγὼ μὲν θάτερον λαβὼν βάθρον, τὸ δ' ἄλλο πρέσβειρ' ἤπερ ἦν Ἐρινύων, εἰπὼν ἀκούσας θ' αἵματος μητρὸς πέρι, Φοῦβός μ' ἔσωσε μαρτυρῶν. Iphig. in Taur. 96 1.

St. Paul, as the introducer of new deities, would naturally plead before the Areiopagites—the religious tribunal of Athens. If the Apostle stood at this spot, with the Agora at his feet, and the Acropolis immediately on his left, he might well describe the city as κατείδωλοs, 'full of idols.' (Acta Apost. XVII. 16.)

The temple of the Eumenides was placed immediately at the foot of the Hill of Mars. I avail myself once more of Dr. Wordsworth's learned research:—"The "exact position of this temple, if temple it may be "called, is at the north-eastern angle of the Areopagus, "at its base.\* There is a wide long chasm there, "formed by split rocks, through which we enter a "gloomy recess. Here is a fountain of very dark water. "That this is the site of the temple of the Semnai, it is "superfluous to repeat proofs. That this dark recess "and fountain formed, with a few artificial additions, "the very temple itself, is, I think, equally certain. "The character of the temple is described by ancient

<sup>\*</sup> Vid. 'Müller's Dissertation on the Eumenides,' p.170. §. 67. English transl. He points out the connection between the Erinyes and the Court of Areiopagus.

" authors with the same clearness as its position. "those descriptions, the spot in which we are com-"pletely corresponds. Here is the chasm of the earth: "this is the subterranean chamber; this the source of " water; which were the characteristics of the temple " in question.

"The place was well adapted to the solemn character " of the deities to whom it was consecrated. The torches. " with which the Eumenides were afterwards furnished. " as a poetic attribute, perhaps owed their origin to the "darkness of this Athenian temple, in which those "goddesses were enshrined. Æschylus imagined the " procession, which escorted the Eumenides to this their "temple, as descending the rocky steps, above described, " from the platform of the Areopagus; then winding " round the eastern angle of that hill, and conducting "them, with the sound of music and glare of torches, " along this rocky ravine to this dark enclosure. " his time the contrast of the silence and gloom of this " sacred place, with the noise and splendour of the city, " in the heart of which it was, must have been inex-"pressibly solemn. Now, the temple and its neigh-"bourhood are both alike desolate and still." p. 78-80. Euripides thus refers to the court of Areiopagus, and

the chasm where the Eumenides were worshipped-

**ἔστιν δ' "**Αρεώς τις όχθος, οὖ πρῶτον θεοὶ έζοντ' ἐπὶ ψήφοισιν αίματος πέρι, 'Αλιρρόθιον ὅτ' ἔκταν' ώμόφρων Αρης.

Electr. 1258.

δειναλ μεν οὖν θεαλ τῷδ' ἄχει πεπληγμέναι πάγον παρ' αὐτὸν χάσμα δύσονται χθονὸς σεμνὸν βροτοῖσιν εὐσεβες χρηστήριον.

1b. 1270.

In Æschylus, Minerva thus addresses the Eumenides—
χαίρετε χύμεις προτέραν δ' έμε χρη
στείχειν θαλάμους ἀποδείξουσαν.
πρὸς φῶς ἱερὸν τῶνδε προπομπῶν
ἴτε, καὶ σφαγίων τῶνδ' ὑπὸ σεμνῶν
κατὰ γῆς σύμεναι, τὸ μὲν ἀτηρὸν
χώρας κατέχειν, τὸ δὲ κερδαλέον
πέμπειν πόλεως ἐπὶ νίκη.
Ευπεη. 1003.

And the conductors of the goddesses thus address them;
βάτε δόμφ μεγάλαι φιλότιμοι
Νυκτὸς παίδες ἄπαιδες, ὑπ' εὐθύφρονι πομπậ
(εὐφαμεῖτε δὲ, χωρῖται')
γᾶς ὑπὸ κεύθεσιν ὧγυγίοισι\*
καὶ τιμαῖς καὶ θυσίαις περίσεπται τύχα τε.

1033.

To the north of the Areiopagus considerable remains still exist of the Gymnasium built by Ptolemy Philadelphus. Pausanias, in his description of the Agora, says—" 'Αθηναίοις δὲ ἐν τῆ ἀγορᾶ καὶ ἄλλα ἐστὶν οὐκ " ἐς ἄπαντας ἐπίσημα, καὶ 'Ελέου βωμός, ῷ μάλιστα " Θεῶν ἐς ἀνθρώπινον βίον καὶ μεταβολὰς πραγμάτων " ὅτι ὡφέλιμος, μόνοι τιμὰς 'Ελλήνων νέμουσιν 'Αθη-" ναίοι. \* \* \* ἐν δὲ τῷ γυμνασίφ τῆς ἀγορᾶς ἀπέχοντι " οὐ πολὺ, Πτολεμαίου δὲ ἀπὸ τοῦ κατασκευασμένου

<sup>\*</sup> ἀγυγίοισι, dark. Vid. Philological Museum, vol. II. p. 348-50.

" καλουμένφ, λίθοι τέ εἰσιν Έρμαῖ θέας ἄξιοι, καὶ εἰκὼν " Πτολεμαίου χαλκῆ \* \* \* πρὸς δὲ τῷ γυμνασίφ " Θησέως ἐστὶν ἱερόν." 1. 17. Cicero mentions the building—" Cum audissem Antiochum, Brute, ut sole-" bam, cum M. Pisone in eo gymnasio, quod Ptolemæum "vocatur." De Fin. v. 1.

### THE NEW AGORA.

Ptolemy's Gymnasium is supposed by the generality of modern topographers to have stood in what is called 'The New Agora.' Col. Leake, p. 63, says-" Another " position in ancient Athens, of which there can be no "doubt, although it has sometimes been mistaken, is "the New Agora, in the quarter of Eretria, apparently "the only one in use in the time of Augustus, when "Strabo wrote; and of Antoninus, when Pausanias " travelled. The Propylea, or gateway of this Agora. " is still in existence: it consists of a portico of four "Doric columns, supporting a pediment: besides which, "there are some remains of one of the antæ, which " terminated two walls, forming a quadrangular vesti-" bule between the columns, and the door leading into "the Agora. The jambs of this door are likewise in "their original places. The proofs of the destination " of the building are found in its plan, and upon com-" paring together three inscriptions, which have been "published by Spon, Wheler, and Stuart.\* One of these

<sup>\*</sup> Spon's Voyage, &c. vol. II. p. 274. Whelen's Travels, p. 389. Drawings of the building, and copies of the various inscriptions, are given in Stuart, vol. I. p. 1.

"inscriptions, which is still to be seen upon the episty"lium of the portal, shows that the building was erected
"out of the donations bestowed upon Athens by Julius
"Cæsar and Augustus: another, copied by Stuart from
"a quadrangular base in the entrance of the portal,
"proves that the base supported a statue of Julia
"Augusta, erected at the expense of one of the two
"Agoranomi, or directors of the market: and the
"third is a long decree of the Emperor Hadrian, re"specting the sale of oils, and the duties to be paid
"upon them, inscribed upon one of the jambs of the
"inner door: a fourth inscription, on the apex of the
"pediment, shows that upon the summit stood a statue
"of Lucius Cæsar, the grandson of Augustus, and his
"adopted son." p. 63.

The existence of this 'New Agora' is positively and rather angrily denied by Forchhammer. "Were it "not," says he, p. 53, seq. "that errors frequently "resemble burs, and faith in one's own authority, or "in that of others, a coat; it would be inconceivable "how, in the total absence of any tenable proof, and "in spite of the established certainty that 'Agora' and "Cerameicus' were almost identical terms; in spite of "the established certainty that the ground on the one side of the Στοὰ Βασίλειος, and of that gate," (i. e. the Gate of the Agora) "as well as the ground on the "other, belonged to the Agora;—it is inconceivable, "I say, how, in spite of all this, topographers could have imagined that Pausanias did not enter the Agora before the spot where he calls it by that name, and

"therefore did not enter the ancient and only Agora "described by him already, but a so-called 'New "Agora,' to which, upon the authority of Meursius, "they gave a particular name, viz. the 'Eretrian,' "and assigned the time of Augustus as that of its " foundation; whilst they try in vain to make out its " locality even from the existing remains, giving it a "large extent to the north of the Acropolis, and ven-"turing to point out the still standing gate as the one " beside the Hermes Agoraios. It will be necessary "to enter somewhat minutely upon the refutation of "this fundamental error in the topography of Athens. "The first discoverer (erfinder) of this so-called 'New "Agora,' if I am not deceived, was Meursius. (Ceramicus "Geminus, p. 16.) He was followed by subsequent writers. "Meursius appeals to Apollodorus." The passage in Apollodorus is quoted by Forchhammer, at p.38:-"Har-" pocration, Πάνδημος 'Αφροδίτη. 'Υπερίδης εν τώ κατά " Πατροκλέους εἰ γνήσιος. 'Απολλόδωρος ἐν τῷ περὶ " θεων, Πάνδημόν φησιν 'Αθήνησιν κληθήναι την άφι-" δρυθείσαν περί την άρχαιαν άγοραν διά τὸ ἐνταῦθα " πάντα τὸν δημον συνάγεσθαι τὸ παλαιὸν ἐν ταῖς ἐκ-" κλησίαις, ας ἐκάλουν ἀγοράς. Νίκανδρος δὲ ἔκτφ " Κολοφωνιακών Σόλωνά φησι σώματα άγοράσαντα εὐ-" πρεπή ἐπὶ στέγης στήσαι διὰ τοὺς νέους καὶ ἐκ τῶν " περιγενομένων χρημάτων ίδρύσασθαι Αφροδίτης Παν-" δήμου ίερον. ἔστι δὲ πάνδημον πάγκοινον." On which Forchhammer observes-"In mentioning the 'Ancient " Agora' (τὴν ἀρχαίαν ἀγοράν,) we may remark by the "way, that the words of Apollodorus contain the sole

"testimony afforded by antiquity, upon which the "moderns can found their distinction of an old and a "new Agora, although they do not lay any particular stress on them. They have been induced to adopt this distinction principally by the erroneous opinion, that the so called Porticus on the north side of the Acropolis, close to the modern Bazaar, was the Gate of the Agora mentioned by Pausanias.

"I have refuted this opinion in detail, in a treatise "which appeared in the "Beitschrift für Alterthumswiffenof fodft," and I rejoice to find that Ross, in his treatise on "the Theseium, admits only one Agora, although his "reasons for placing it to the north of the defile between "the Acropolis and the Areopagus appear to me alto-"gether untenable. With regard to the expression of "Apollodorus 'την ἀρχαίαν ἀγοράν,' it is not to be "taken as if it meant to distinguish an old, from a new, "Agora. \* \* \* Apollodorus, who lived 100 years before "Augustus, could not speak of an 'old' Agora, as dis-"tinguished from the so-called 'new' one, which Leake "admits was not established until the reign of Augustus, " in the vicinity of Eretria: nor could Apollodorus have "thought of calling the Agora (there being then but one) " 'the old 'one, however old it might be. He might as "well have spoken of an 'old Cerameicus,' or an 'old "Acropolis.' Apollodorus himself throws sufficient light " on the expression he has used (bie Wahl biefer Benennung.) "He is, like Pausanias, of opinion that Theseus united "all the demi into one, and first summoned all the people "to one assembly. These assemblies were in ancient "times called ἀγοραί, as were the assemblies of the δημος "even in later times. In this sense, Apollodorus derives "the name of Agora from the assembling of the people, "(συνάγεσθαί), and calls the place of popular assembly "in the market, beside the 'Pandemos,' the old Agora, "in contra-distinction to the later place of assembly at "the Pnyx." p. 39.

" Meursius, however, believes the Agora to have been "transferred to a different place. This conclusion is " derived from the words of Strabo-'Eperpiéas &' oi " μεν ἀπὸ Μακίστου τῆς Τριφυλίας ἀποικισθῆναί φασιν " ὑπ' Ἐρετριέως (Ἐρετρίας, Oxon.) οἱ δ' ἀπὸ τῆς Αθή-" νησιν Έρετρίας, ή νῦν ἀγορά. lib. x. p. 652. Now, "not to mention that it is doubtful whether that "Agora is the market, or a market; whether at Athens, " or in Attica;" (this last seems rather a liberal way of interpreting της 'Αθήνησιν 'Ερετρίας) " it cannot be "imagined, even admitting the probable supposition "that the market at Athens is meant, why Strabo should " not have spoken of the so-called ancient Agora. That " now (vûv) is evidently opposed to the time when, " according to the tradition, the Agora was still the " δημος Eretria, the inhabitants of which were said to " have founded Eretria in Eubœa; but by no means " opposed to a time but lately passed, or to some other " more ancient market. Strabo himself explains the " name of Eretria by the more ancient name of Arotria. " i. e. arable land. Μελανητς δ' έκαλειτο πρότερον ή " Ἐρέτρια, καὶ ᾿Αρότρια. (loc. laud.) The Agora of "Athens was once arable land, as it is again now-a" days; and that name is, no doubt, derived from the "most ancient time, and from the myth, as Grotefend "(de Demis, p. 39) justly supposes. Perhaps, if one preferred deriving the word from ἐρέσσω, the etymology might be defended by reference to a myth, according to the poetical invention of which, the Acropolis and surrounding hills were once surrounded by water." p. 54-5.

I have placed the 'New Agora' in the map, though I willingly confess that my belief in its existence has been destroyed by the original and acute remarks of Forchhammer.

With regard to the Porticus, which has been so commonly taken for the Gate of the New Agora, Forchhammer maintains that it was not a gate at all, but that it formed part of a temple dedicated to Minerva 'Apyryétis. This he proves from the inscription on the Architrave. (p. 57.) Another of the inscriptions. containing a decree of the Emperor Hadrian concerning the sale of oil, formed no part of this building; but the stone, on which it is engraved, has been placed where it now is in later times, to form the corner of a house. (p. 58.) The quadrangular base, from which Stuart copied another inscription, and which must have supported a statue of Julia Augusta, is certainly not standing now in its original place. (ibid.) These two stones were erroneously taken by Stuart for gate posts. There is no doubt that the building, whatever it was. was raised in the time of Augustus, and at the expense of Julius and Augustus Cæsar. Here is a copy of the inscription on the architrave-

Ο ΔΗΜΟΣ ΑΠΟ ΔΩΡΕΩΝ ΥΠΟ ΓΑΙΟΥ ΙΟΥΛΙΟΥ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΘΕΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΟΣ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΘΕΟΥ ΥΙΟΥ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ ΑΘΗΝΑΙ ΑΡΧΗΓΕΤΙΔΙ ΣΤΡΑΤΗΓΟΥΝΤΟΣ ΕΠΙ ΤΟΥΣ ΟΠΛΙΤΑΣ ΕΥΚΛΕΟΥΣ ΜΑΡΑΘΩΝΙΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΔΙΑΔΕΞΑΜΕΝΟΥ ΤΗΝ ΕΠΙΜΕΛΕΙΑΝ ΥΠΕΡ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΤΡΟΣ ΗΡΩΔΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΠΡΕΣΒΕΥΣΑΝΤΟΣ ΕΠΙ ΑΡΧΟΝΤΟΣ ΝΙΚΙΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΣΑΡΑΠΙΩΝΟΣ ΑΘΜΟΝΕΩΣ.

Finally, Forchhammer says, p. 58—"There is no "reason why these columns should be considered a "gate, far less a gate of the Agora; nor is there any "reason for supposing that there had been any Agora "in that part of the city, much less the principal market, "during the time of the Roman Emperors."

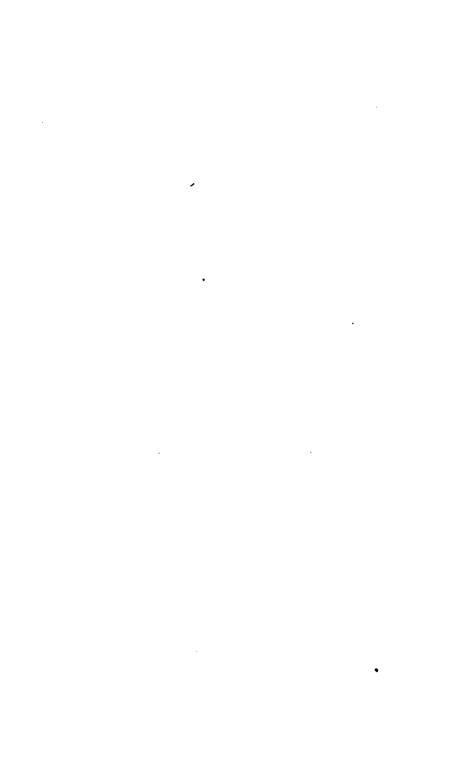
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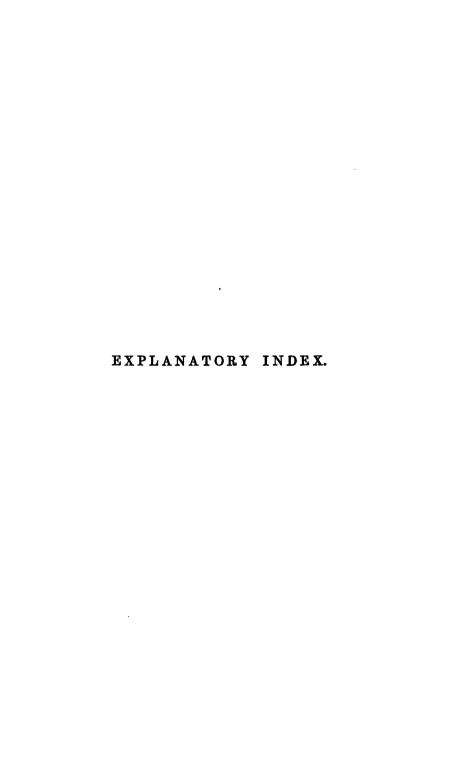
To the west of the ground supposed to have been occupied by the New Agora was a district called Κολωνὸς 'Ayopaios. Suidas, in voc. κολωνέτας (κολωνίτας, Harpocration) says-" οὕτως ώνόμαζον τοὺς μισ-" θωτούς επειδή περί του κολωνον είστήκεσαν, δς έστι " πλησίου της ἀγοράς ἔνθα τὸ Ἡφαιστεῖου καὶ τὸ " Εύρυσάκιου έστι. Εκαλείτο δε δ κολωνός οδτος άγο-" paios." Hesychius corroborates this—" οψ' ηλθες, " άλλ' είς του Κολωνου ίεσο. έπι των μισθωτών έλεγον " τους έπι τὸ ἔργον ἐλθόντας ὀψε ἀπέλυον πάλιν είς τὸ " μισθωτήριου τὸ δὲ ἢν ἐν Κολωνῷ." ɨκ υ. ἀψ. ἦλ. We have already seen that Pausanias speaks of the temple of Hephæstus as above, or to the north of, the Agora; the position therefore of the temple may be determined within a small space. It was outside of the northern limit of the Agora. It stood therefore nearly on a line with the Dipylum.\*

<sup>\*</sup> Dr. Wordsworth (p. 174) thinks that the Hephæsteium was the goal for the racers in the λαμπαδηφορία. Dr. Liddell (Smith's Dictionary of Antiquities, m v. λαμπάς) says that the racers ran to the Acropolis. Pausanias, to whom he refers, does not say so much—" ἐν λκαδημία δέ " ἐστι Προμηθέως βωμός· και θέονσιν ἀπ' ἀντοῦ πρὸς τὴν πόλιν ἔχοντες " καιομένας λαμπάδας." I. 30. The scholiast on Aristoph. Rana, 1085, to which he also refers, merely says, that the race took place in the Cerameicus.



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p. 30. lin. penult. for Philist. .. read Philost.

33. — 9. — Athen. xIV. 3. — Athen. xIV. 614.

89. — 7. — Panaglia .. — Panaglia

### PREFACE.

My object in publishing this volume is exactly of the same nature as that which I proposed to myself in publishing the 'Map of Ancient Rome,' accompanied by an 'Explanatory Index.' I need say no more on this head.

I am obliged to confess that a great deal of the Map now published is conjectural: in many points I can only state what appears to stand upon the most probable evidence.

There are indeed certain remains and buildings of the city of Athens, about which there can be no doubt; and they are easily numbered. The Acropolis, with its temples; the Pnyx; the Areopagus; the Museum; the Temples of Theseus and Jupiter Olympius; the Temple of the Winds; the Choragic Monument of Lysicrates; the Monument of Philopappus; the Stadium; the Fountain Callirhoe; the Dionysiac Theatre; the Odeum of Regilla; the Gymnasium of Ptolemy; the Arch of Hadrian. But with regard to the position of the buildings in the neighbourhood of the Agora,—even the position of the Agora itself; the line which the city walls took; the position of the gates; the relative situations of the various districts of the city; together with the sites of many temples and other buildings;—all these are more or less doubtful.

It seems extraordinary that learned men should, till comparatively a very recent period, have cared so little about Athens, and have made no effort at all to gain a knowledge of the productions of the most perfect school of ancient art. I avail myself of Col. Leake's account of the labours of those persons, who preceded himself in this field. "Dr. Spon, a physician and " learned antiquary of Lyons, having opened a cor-"respondence with the Père Babin, a Jesuit at Athens, "received from him such a description of that place, as "Spon thought worthy of being published. This was "done at Lyons in 1674. In the same year, the Marquis "de Nointel, being appointed French ambassador at "Constantinople, made a short stay at Athens, in his "way; and left there Jacques Carrey, a young artist, "who was employed for six weeks in making drawings. "The originals of these designs, executed very rudely

"and inaccurately, partly in red chalk, partly in black "lead, are now in the National Library at Paris. Fac"similes of them have lately been presented to the "British Museum." Leake, Introd. p. xcv111. "In "the year 1675, Athens was visited by the Earl of "Winchelsea, English ambassador to the Porte; and "in the following year by Mr. Vernon, of whose travels "in Greece a short account was soon afterwards pub"lished in the 'Philosophical Transactions.' The same "year was distinguished in modern Athenian annals "by the visit of Dr. Spon and Sir George Wheler, "from whom, and from the drawings of Carrey, we derive all our knowledge of the state of Athens, prior "to the siege which forms the great era in the modern "history of Athenian antiquities." Ibid. c.

"It was not until 90 years after the publication of the travels of Spon and Wheler, that an English artist, studying at Rome, perceived that he was not yet at the fountain head of true taste in architecture; and determined to proceed to Athens, with the view of making such a stay there, as should enable him to bring away drawings of all the principal remains of antiquity. Stuart having engaged Revett, another architect, to join him, they proceeded to Athens in the year 1751, where they remained during the greater

"part of three years. The first part of the result of their labours was published in 1761; soon after which "a further knowledge of Greece, and of its remains of antiquity, was obtained by a private Society in London, which has done more for the improvement of the arts, by researches into the existing remains of the ancients, than any government in Europe.

"In the year 1764, the Society of Dilettanti engaged "Mr. Revett to return to Greece, in company with "Mr. Pars and Dr. Chandler; the former an able "draftsman; the latter well qualified to illustrate the "geography and antiquity of the country by his erudi-"tion. The result of this mission has put the public "in possession of several Athenian antiquities, left im-"perfectly examined by Stuart, together with archi-" tectural details of some of the most celebrated temples " of Asiatic Greece, a volume of Greek inscriptions by "Dr. Chandler, and two volumes of Travels in Asia "Minor and Greece, by the same person." Ibid, c111. "The researches of Stuart and Chandler upon the "Topography of Athens have cleared up much that had "been left obscure and faulty by Spon and Wheler. "and in some instances Chandler's superior learning "enabled him to correct the erroneous impressions of "Stuart; but others he has left uncorrected, and he has "added many errors and negligences of his own, as well in the application of ancient evidence, as in the actual state of the ruined buildings." Ibid. cv.

In the year 1821, Colonel Leake published his book "On the Topography of Athens." Previous writers had endeavoured to identify the existing remains of ancient buildings; and their object was ultimately achieved. But, so great was the popular ignorance on the subject, that it cost years of laborious research to rectify multiplied errors, and to establish the truth.

Col. Leake's book commenced a new era in Athenian topography. He attempted, by the aid of ancient literature, and philosophical induction from admitted facts, to give the world a Map of Ancient Athens. He resided in the place a considerable time, and took care to advance no theory which was not corroborated by the physical features of the ground. His book is not free from errors; but they are insignificant, compared with the vast amount of light which he threw upon his subject, and the immense service which he has performed in this most interesting field of learned enquiry. His book gained considerable reputation amongst German scholars, and has been translated into the German language.

In the years 1832 and 1833, Dr. Christopher Wordsworth made a tour in various parts of Greece; the result of this was a volume which appeared in 1836, under the title of 'Athens and Attica.' Much of this volume is taken up with the topography of Ancient Athens. Dr. Wordsworth brought to his study a profound knowledge, and an enthusiastic admiration, of ancient literature; and these advantages, aided by admirable judgment and critical skill, enabled him to improve greatly on the labours of Col. Leake.

I have placed the important districts of Melite, Colyttus, and Cœle; the Agora and its buildings; together with the Dipylum, according to Dr. Wordsworth's plan. In attempting to determine the position of ancient buildings or districts, of which no remains are left, it is not sufficient to find isolated authority for this or that particular edifice or place; the great thing is, to form one consistent whole: and it is in this respect, that Dr. Wordsworth's labours appear to me to be so successful. The whole of his plan seems to hang together by necessary concatenation.

In the 'Life and Epistles of St. Paul,' by the Revd. Messrs. Howson and Conybeare, and which is now in course of publication, there is a very valuable chapter on Athens, *Chap. X. Vol.* II. p. 369. I feel particularly

obliged to Mr. Howson, for his kindness in permitting me to consult this Chapter, whilst it was passing through the press.

In the year 1841, M. Forchhammer published a Volume 'On the Topography of Athens,' at Kiel.\* This author does not pretend to give a complete topography of Athens, but rather to correct the errors of previous writers, and to throw increased light on points which had been but imperfectly examined. He is a man of great learning and acuteness, and his book has made most important additions to our knowledge of the ancient city.

Like Col. Leake and Dr. Wordsworth, M. Forchhammer, as he himself states, "paid repeated and protracted "visits to Athens." A correction of the errors into which Col. Leake fell, appears to be M. Forchhammer's principal object. He never quotes Dr. Wordsworth's book; and he appears to be ignorant of its existence. This ignorance is greatly to be regretted. Had he been acquainted with Dr. Wordsworth's arguments in favour

<sup>\*&</sup>quot; Topographie von Athen, von B. B. Forchhammer. Mit einen Plan ber alten Stabt. Riel. 1841."

There is a Map of Athens in Kiepert's "Topographift-Sittoriften Mallas von Sellas, und dem Selleniften Colonien." Berlin, 1842; and in Sprüner's "Atlas Antiquus," Gotha, 1850. Both these authors adopt Forchhammer's plan. K. O. Muller published two dissertations, "De "Munimentis Athenarum," Gottingen, 1836. All these may be consulted with advantage by the student.

of the position he has assigned to the Agora, the Dipylum, Melite, Colyttus, and Cœle, I cannot help thinking it probable that he would have agreed with him.

M. Forchhammer makes the district called Melite occupy the hills Museum, Pnyx, and that to the north of the Pnyx, which was called in later times the Hill of the Nymphs. He places Colyttus in the western declivity, between the Museum and the Pnyx; and Cœle to the south of the Museum. All these positions seem to be undoubtedly wrong; and the weight which M. Forchhammer's authority will carry with it in the judgment of learned men may, it is to be feared, produce considerable confusion and perplexity on the subject. The position assigned by him to Cœle, in particular, seems to be totally untenable. He places it, as we have seen, at the south-western corner of Now Herodotus tells us, vi. 103, that Cimon was buried outside Cœle. ` τέθαπται δὲ Κίμων πρὸ τοῦ άστεος, πέρην της δια Κοίλης καλεομένης όδου. expression, πρὸ τοῦ ἄστεος, cannot mean nothing but ' outside the city;' as, ἄνασσ' "Ογκα πρὸ πόλεως. Æsch. Sept. c. Theb. 164. ίερεὺς τοῦ Διὸς τοῦ ὄντος πρὸ τῆς πόλεως. Act. Apost. ch. xiv. v. 13. Forchhammer marks a spot, outside Cœle, as Cimon's monument

(Rimonische Gräber.) But this position is inconsistent with the statement of Herodotus: for the ground outside Cœle, according to Forchhammer's Map, is enclosed between the two long walls; and other tombs must have been there. Marcellinus, in his Life of Thucydides, ch. ix. says-" πρὸς ταῖς Μελιτίσι πύλαις καλου-" μέναις έστιν έν Κοίλη τὰ καλούμενα Κιμώνια μνήματα, " ἔνθα δείκνυται 'Ηροδότου καὶ Θουκυδίδου τάφος." Ι am not aware of any authority for supposing that there were tombs within the long walls. It is true, Pausanias says, there were tombs "on the road" from the Peiræus to Athens, I. 11. 2,—" ἀνιόντων δὲ ἐκ Πειραιῶς ἐρείπια " των τειχών έστιν α Κόνων ύστερον της προς Κνίδον " ναυμαχίας ἀνέστησε· \* \* εἰσὶ δὲ τάφοι κατὰ τὴν " όδον γνωριμώτατοι, Μενάνδρου τοῦ Διοπείθους, καλ " μνημα Εὐριπίδου κενόν." I cannot think that the dead would have been buried inside the walls: more especially as this space was inhabited. That this was the fact, appears certainly from Xenophon, Hellen. II. 11. 3, who, in describing the consternation which the news of the battle of Ægospotami occasioned at Athens, 8248,-" έν δε ταις 'Αθήναις, της Παράλου άφικομένης " νυκτός, ελέγετο ή ξυμφορά, καλ ή ολμωγή εκ τοῦ Πει-" ραιώς διὰ τών μακρών τειχών ές ἄστυ διῆκεν, ὁ ἔτερος " τῷ ἐτέρφ παραγγέλλων." And Thucydides certainly

implies that there were houses between the walls; for, speaking of the crowds who flocked into Athens at the beginning of the Peloponnesian War, he says,—"οὐ γὰρ "ἐχώρησε ξυνελθόντας αὐτοὺς ἡ πόλις, ἀλλ' ὕστερον δὴ "τά τε μακρὰ τείχη ικησαν κατανειμάμενοι καὶ τοῦ "Πειραιῶς τὰ πολλά." 11. 17. Andocides, de Myster. p. 22. Reiske, speaks thus of three garrisons at Athens—"οἱ ἐν ἄστει οἰκοῦντες, οἱ ἐν μακρῷ τείχει, καὶ οἱ ἐν Πειραιεῖ." Greek sentiment would have been totally outraged, had the dead been buried in the midst of a living population.

Pausanias also tells us, that the men who won the victory of the Eurymedon were buried in the outer Cerameicus, on the road to the Academy:—" κεῖνται δὲ "καὶ οἱ σὺν Κίμωνι τὸ μέγα ἔργον ἐπ' Εὐρυμέδοντι πεζŷ "καὶ ναυσὶν αὐθημερὸν κρατήσαντες." I. xxix.14. Now we may fairly conclude that Cimon was buried in the same place with his brave warriors: and this perhaps may enable us to account for the expression in Marcellinus, τὰ Κιμώνια μνήματα, in the plural; for had Cimon been buried alone, surely he would have said τὸ Κιμώνιον μνῆμα. For these reasons, I think M. Forchhammer has certainly placed Cœle wrong.

I have placed the Agora, with its buildings, in the valley between the Pnyx, the Areopagus, and the western

end of the Acropolis. M. Forchhammer has placed it considerably more to the south, between the Museum and the Acropolis. He is convinced that Pausanias, in describing his first route through the city, entered by the Peiraic gate, which he correctly places between the Museum and the Pnyx. Pausanias merely says,—" elo-" ελθόντων δε είς την πόλιν, κ.τ. λ." Ι. 11. 4. He never mentions by what gate he enters; in fact, I think, he never mentions any gate at all, except the Melitan, which he points out, because it was close to the tomb of Thucydides-" ψήφισμα γὰρ ἐνίκησεν Οἰνόβιος κατ-" ελθείν είς 'Αθήνας Θουκυδίδην' καί οι δολοφονηθέντι, " ώς κατήει, μνημα έστιν οὐ πόρρω πυλών Μελιτίδων." I. XXIII. 11. Now it is certainly dangerous to build up a theory upon the presumption, that because Pausanias came from the Peiræus, he therefore started from the Peiraic gate, in his description of Athens.\* On entering the city, he says that two colonnades reached from the gate (whatever gate it was,) to the Cerameicus; by which he means the Agora. He describes these colonnades as splendidly ornamented with statues +-" στοαλ δέ είσων

<sup>\*</sup> Pausanias appears to have made notes, when he was at Athens; but to have written his book at home. This may partly account for his omissions, and occasional irregularity of plan. But Forchhammer professes to see an exact and perfect plan observed in the description which he has given of Athens.

<sup>†</sup> Forchhammer says of these στοαί—" These colonnades in the street, from the gate to the Cerameicus, must be imagined to have been like

" ἀπὸ τῶν πυλῶν ἐς τὸν Κεραμεικόν, καὶ εἰκόνες πρὸ " αὐτῶν χαλκαῖ καὶ γυναικῶν καὶ ἀνδρῶν ὅσοις τι ὑπῆρ-" χε, καὶ ὧν τις λόγος ἐς δόξαν." Ι. 11. 4. Whatever the gate was, therefore, the entrance it gave into the city was magnificent. The street led through a line of statues of the great heroes and heroines of Athens. Now, I cannot think it at all probable that the Peiraic gate, which led to nothing but the passage between two fortified walls, and must have been a gate of traffic, thronged by bales of merchandize and merchants, oftentimes the scene of that

> ἀκόλαστος όχλος ναυτική τ' ἀναργία κρείσσων πυρός, Eur. Hec. 602.

which an Athenian appreciated so justly,-I say, I cannot think that the vicinity of such a gate would have been decorated with any artistical splendour.

The Peiraic gate must have suggested thoughts of every day, vulgar, plebeian bustle; of the noise and business of trade, and lucre: it could have suggested nothing grand, and abstract, and ideal,-nothing to please and captivate the Athenian imagination. gate which led to the Agora and Acropolis, through

<sup>&</sup>quot;the colonnades in the large street at Turin, or like such as in the streets of Bologna or Modena afford protection against the sun and rain. They form below the fore-part of the houses, the upper stories of which partly rest on the colonnade, from which one enters the doors of dwellings and sanctuaries." p. 33.

a vista of statues of the nation's heroes and heroines, was, no doubt, the same gate by which their great national and religious exhibitions, the Eleusinian and Panathenaic processions, passed in solemn and magnificent pomp. It was the gate, no doubt, that led to Eleusis, and to the Isthmus; and was the gate by which multitudes of strangers from Greece would enter, who thronged the city at the times of her Dionysiac festivals; or crowded to hear Pericles deliver a funeral oration over the ashes of those who had died bravely fighting for their country; or to listen to the wisdom of Socrates; or to gaze in admiration at the immortal works of Phidias and Ictinus. To suppose that such thoughts as these were not entertained, and such emotions not intensely felt, by ancient Greeks, would be altogether to fail in an appreciation of their imaginative character.

Pausanias says, that, on his arrival at the Cerameicus, the first object "on his right" was the στοὰ βασίλειος. "πρώτη δὲ ἐστὶν ἐν δεξιᾳ καλουμένη στοὰ βασίλειος, "ἔνθα καθίζει βασιλεὺς ἐνιαυσίαν ἄρχων ἀρχὴν καλου- "μένην βασιλείαν." Ι. 111. 1. Μ. Forchhammer, in conformity with his opinion that Pausanias entered by the Peiraic gate, places the στοὰ βασίλειος considerably to the south of the Pnyx, and is of course compelled to

bring the whole Agora materially lower than it is placed in my Map.

With regard to the line of city walls, I have followed M. Forchhammer. Both Col. Leake and Dr. Wordsworth make the walls pass over the summit of the hills Museum and Pnyx, on the south-west; and make them run between the river Ilissus and the temple of Jupiter Olympius, on the south-east.

There are, it is true, some remains of the foundations of walls to be found on the Museum and the Pnyx; but M. Forchhammer, who has examined these foundations. declares that "they consist of stones regularly cut, and " of the same description, a kind of conglomerate plen-"tifully found in Attica, and frequently used for "building purposes. These stones are also put together "in a perfectly regular way." p. 12. These circumstances sufficiently prove that these cannot be the foundations of the walls built by Themistocles; for we learn from Thucvdides that they were built in a hurry. and without order; and he particularly specifies the foundations as having been most irregular, and composed of all sorts of stone :-- " τούτφ τῷ τρόπφ οί 'Αθηναΐοι " την πόλιν ετείχισαν εν ολίγω χρόνω. και δήλη ή " οἰκοδομία ἔτι καὶ νῦν ἐστὶν ὅτι κατὰ σπουδὴν ἐγένετο. " οί γὰρ θεμέλιοι παντοίων λίθων ὑπόκεινται καὶ οὐ

" Ευνειργασμένων έστιν ή, άλλ' ώς έκαστοί ποτε προσ-" έφερον, πολλαί τε στήλαι από των σημάτων καὶ " λίθοι εἰργασμένοι εγκατελέγησαν. μείζων γάρ δ περί-" βολος πανταγή εξήγθη της πόλεως, και διά τοῦτο " πάντα όμοίως κινούντες ηπείνοντο." 1.03. Thucydides tells us, in this passage, that "the circumference of the "wall was increased;" but if it passed over the Museum and the Pnyx, running, as it must have done, on this supposition, close to the place of popular assembly, it is not credible that the circumference on this, the most important, because the most vulnerable, side of the city, and the most liable to attack, could ever have been less. Besides all this, Pausanias distinctly says, that the hill Museum was "formerly enclosed within "walls." (In his days, the wall on that side had been destroyed.) " ἔστι δὲ ἐντὸς τοῦ περιβόλου ἀργαίου τὸ "Μουσείου, ἀπ' ἀντικρύ της ἀκροπόλεως λόφος." Ι. xxv. It is incredible that Themistocles should have run the wall close to the popular assembly; and scarcely credible that he should have put the western part of the Pnvx outside the walls.

That the Pnyx was inhabited, is proved beyond dispute by a passage, produced by M. Forchhammer, out of the speech of Æschines against Timarchus. The passage is a very obscure one; but there can be no

doubt about this, that it speaks of the Pnyx, as an inhabited place:—" ψήφισμα δ οὖτος εἰρήκει περὶ τῶν " οἰκησέων τῶν ἐν τῷ Πνυκί· \* \* \* καὶ περὶ τῆς ἐρημίας " ταύτης καὶ τοῦ τόπου τοῦ ἐν τῆ Πνυκί· μὴ θαυμάσητε, " ὦ ' Αθηναῖοι, ἔφη, εἰ Τίμαρχος ἐμπειροτέρως ἔχει τῆς " βουλῆς τῆς ἐξ' Αρείου πάγου· \* \* \* ὡς δ' ἐπεμνήσθη " τῶν οἰκοπέδων καὶ τῶν λάκκων οὐδ' ἀναλαβεῖν αὐτοὺς " ἐδυνήθητε." Æsch. in Timarch. x11. 1. Steph.

That the walls on the south east of the city did not run between the temple of Jupiter Olympius and the Ilissus, is positively proved by Pausanias; for, had the walls run in this way, the temple of 'Αφροδίτη ἐν Κήποις must have been in a suburb, outside the walls: but Pausanias says it was in the city:-- " ἔστι δὲ περίβολος " έν τη πόλει της καλουμένης έν κήποις Αφροδίτης οὐ " πόροω." Ι. xxvII. 4. Pliny, it is true, (Nat. Hist. xxxvi. 5) calls this temple "extra muros;" but his authority is not to be set against that of Pausanias:-"Alcamenem Atheniensem (quod certum est) docuit " (Phidias) imprimis nobilem, cujus sunt opera Athe-"nis complura in ædibus sacris, præclaraque Venus "extra muros, quæ appellatur 'Αφροδίτη ἐν Κήποις. "Huic summam manum ipse Phidias imposuisse dici-"tur." Had the walls run according to Col. Leake's plan, Callirhoe, the only fountain which the Athenians

had, would have been outside the walls; a very unlikely thing. Dr. Wordsworth anticipates the objection which obviously lies against such an injudicious arrangement, by observing,—"Callirhoe appears to have been on the "outer side of the city-wall. This position is less sur-"prising, when we remember the provisions of the "Amphictyonic oath, which obliged all the contracting "parties never to prohibit a confederate city from the "use of its fountains either in peace or war." Ch. xx1. p. 161. But this security could not be trusted; for, in the first place, the enemy might possibly not be a member of the Amphictyonic confederacy; and even if he was, yet if he was strong enough to besiege Athens, he was not likely to be checked by an over-scrupulous regard for an Amphictyonic oath.

Col. Leake's plan also leaves the Stadium outside the walls. It is improbable of itself that such should have been the fact; and it becomes doubly improbable, when we remember that in all other Greek towns, where the remains of a Stadium have been discovered, they are invariably within the walls.

For these reasons, I have adopted M. Forchhammer's plan of the walls. According to him, those walls, whose foundations are yet to be traced on the Pnyx and Museum, were built in the age of Valerian.

I cannot resist the temptation I feel to reprint the concluding remarks which M. Forchhammer has made on Col. Leake. "I have often (he says) contradicted "Müller in this work, and still more often the excellent "Col. Leake. With him this needs no excuse. I have "not done, as often happens in Germany, where there "are young and old men of science, who scruple not to "ridicule scientific works, which they do not take the "trouble to read or understand; nay, the subject of "which is entirely strange to them. Lively party zeal. "even in the cause of science, may be respectable; but "it is impossible for disgraceful behaviour, which would "be unpardonable even in boys, ever to be so. I do "not write this, in order to protect myself for the "future: but he who has been much abroad, and has "thereby become all the fonder of his own country, " has a keener sense of the disgrace and scorn, frequently "just, which is drawn upon us, in the judgment of "foreigners, by these petty critics. May every true "German raise his voice and influence against this, "were it but to guard against violations of decency! "Let it be said to those who delight in quarrelling, that "however much I may have been compelled to refute "the opinions of Col. Leake, at any rate I am speaking " of matters with which I am acquainted; that there is

"not one of his, or my own readers, who values as much "as I do his extraordinary services with respect to the "topography of Greece, and Asia Minor; and more "particularly that of Athens. And if this volume of "mine contains any emendations and opinions, calculated to produce renewed and closer investigation, let "him be thanked for it, who even by his errors led to "the right track, and but for whose work this topomerish of Athens would lack its principal merit, if "indeed it has any to boast of." p. 99. These generous and noble sentiments of M. Forchhammer do equal honour to his understanding and his heart.

The palace of the present king of Greece stands to the north-east of the Acropolis, near the old Diomean gate; and the modern University is still further to the north, on the outside of the place where the old Acharnian gate stood. The modern city occupies principally the northern and eastern parts of the old. It is to be hoped that the western side—the classic and venerable ground which contained the Areopagus, the Pnyx, the Agora, the Courts of Legislature and of Law of the ancient and famous Athenian people—will never be occupied by modern buildings. Excavation may settle much, that has hitherto baffled the ingenuity of the learned; and the future traveller may possibly be enabled

to walk about the disinterred Agora of Athens, with no more doubt respecting the position of the buildings which throughd it, than he now entertains respecting the pillar of Phocas in the Forum of Rome.

I cannot close this Preface without making my public acknowledgment of gratitude to M. Marx, teacher of German, London, for very great services rendered to me. His aid was as important as it was generous and disinterested.

I hope I shall not stand in need of apology, in the judgment of any scholar, for adopting the Greek character in a Map, intended only for those who understand the Greek language. To have used the Latin, would have produced an unnecessary disagreement between the map, and the text of the books quoted. Besides this, there are many Greek words, such as Φερρεφάττιον—Βουλευτήριον—'Αρχηγέτις—Πομπεῖον, &c., which are scarcely to be recognized under the disguise and disfigurement of a Latin dress. Surely, nothing but necessity can reconcile a Greek scholar to the use of such barbarous sounds and shapes.

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### EXPLANATORY INDEX.

## THE WALLS, GATES, AND SUBURBS OF ATHENS.

Thucydides, giving an account of the resources, and condition of Athens, at the commencement of the Peloponnesian war, has the following passage respecting the extent of the defences of the city—" τοῦ τε γὰρ " Φαληρικοῦ τείγους στάδιοι ήσαν πέντε καὶ τριάκοντα " πρὸς τὸν κύκλον τοῦ ἄστεος, καὶ αὐτοῦ τοῦ κύκλου τὸ " Φυλασσόμενον τρεῖς καὶ τεσσαράκοντα ἔστι δὲ αὐτοῦ " δ καὶ ἀφύλακτον ἦν, τὸ μεταξὺ τοῦ τε μακροῦ καὶ τοῦ " Φαληρικου. τὰ δὲ μακρὰ τείχη πρὸς τὸν Πειραιᾶ " τεσσαράκοντα σταδίων, ων τὸ ἔξωθεν ἐτηρεῖτο. καὶ " τοῦ Πειραιώς ξὺν Μουνυγία ἐξήκοντα μὲν σταδίων ὁ " ἄπας περίβολος, τὸ δ' ἐν φυλακη ην ημισυ τούτου." Lib. 11. 13. The Scholiast, speaking of the space in the city walls which was left unguarded, says, it was 17 stades in length—" τουτέστι στάδιοι δεκαεπτά ό γάρ "όλος κύκλος σταδίων ην έξάκοντα." The whole length of fortified wall, therefore, amounted to 195 stades,\* or exactly 22 English miles. The Peiræus was the first

<sup>\*</sup> The length of the common Greek stade was 202 yds. 9 in. English In the Appendix to Hussey's 'Ancient Weights and Measures,' §. 13, are some very valuable remarks on the varieties in the value of the Greek stade.

part enclosed by this vast line of wall.\* Col. Leake has given a minute description of its fortifications, (p.331-44.) Themistocles commenced them in the year of his archonship, A. C. 481. Ol. LXXIV. 4. " ἔπεισε δὲ καὶ τοῦ " Πειραιώς τὰ λοιπὰ ὁ Θεμιστοκλής οἰκοδομείν. ὑπ-" ηρκτο δ' αὐτοῦ πρότερον ἐπὶ της ἐκείνου ἀρχης ης " κατ' ενιαυτον 'Αθηναίοις ήρξε νομίζων τό τε χωρίον " καλον είναι, λιμένας έχον τρείς αὐτοφυείς, καὶ αὐτοὺς " ναυτικούς γεγενημένους μέγα προφέρειν ές τὸ κτήσασ-" θαι δύναμιν. της γάρ δη θαλάσσης πρώτος ετόλμησεν " είπειν ώς ανθεκτέα έστι, και την αρχήν εύθυς ξυγκατ-" εσκεύαζε. καὶ ώκοδόμησαν τῆ ἐκείνου γνώμη τὸ " πάχος τοῦ τείχους ὅπερ νῦν ἔτι δηλόν ἐστι περὶ τὸν " Πειραιά. δύο γὰρ ἄμαξαι ἐναντίαι ἀλλήλαις τοὺς " λίθους ἐπήγον. ἐντὸς δὲ οὖτε χάλιξ οὖτε πήλος ήν " άλλά ξυνφκοδομημένοι μέγαλοι λίθοι καὶ ἐντομῆ ἐγ-" γώνιοι σιδήρω πρὸς άλλήλους τὰ ἔξωθεν καὶ μολύβδω " δεδεμένοι. τὸ δὲ ΰψος ημισυ μάλιστα ἐτελέσθη οδ " διενοείτο." Thucyd. 1. 93.

The walls of the city, properly so called,  $\tau \delta$  Aotu, were the next part of the work to be executed. The story of the jealousy felt by Lacedæmon, and the skilful diplomacy of Themistocles, on the occasion, is well known: it is given in detail by Thucydides, 1. 90—92. The walls retained visible proofs of the haste with which they had been erected. Thucydides, in a passage already quoted in the Preface, (lib. 1. 93) has told us so. Of this vast circumference of fortification, not a vestige has been discovered by modern research. The walls were

<sup>•</sup> The walls of Syracuse were 180 stadia in circumference: owing to their more circular shape, they must have enclosed a much larger area than the walls of Athens.

built A. C. 478: what their height was, is not known; but Appian says, that the Peiraic wall was 60 feet high, and probably the city walls were of the same height. "ἐπὶ τὸν Πειραιᾶ κατῆλθε, (sc. Sylla) κατακεκλεισ- "μένων ἐς τὰ τείχη τῶν πολεμίων. ὕψος δ' ἦν τὰ " τείχη πηχέων τεσσαράκοντα μάλιστα, καὶ εἴργαστο "ἐκ λίθου μεγάλου τε καὶ τετραγώνου." Appian. Bell. Mithrid. Ch. 30

The long walls were built 21 years later, shortly before the battle of Tanagra. Thucydides says (lib.1.93) " ήρξαντο δὲ κατὰ τοὺς χρόνους τούτους (i.e. A.C. 457. " Ol. LXXX. 4.) καὶ τὰ μακρὰ τείχη ἐς θάλασσαν 'Αθηναῖοι " οἰκοδομεῖν, τό τε Φαληρόνδε καὶ τὸ ἐς Πειραιά i.e. they began to build the long walls, I mean (Te) that which runs to Phalerum, and that which runs to Peiræus. Subsequently, a third long wall was erected, between these two. Æschines says, that this was built A. C.445. Ol. LXXXV. 2, at the time of the general pacification of Greece, by the 30 years truce—"εἰρήνην ἔτη τριάκοντα " ηγάγομεν, η τον δημον ύψηλον ήρε. και το μακρον " τείγος τὸ νότιον ἐτειγίσθη." De Falsa Legat. 302. Pericles was minister at the time, and Socrates is represented, in Plato, as stating that he was present when the debate on the subject took place. " Περικλεοῦς δέ " καλ αὐτὸς (εc. Socrates) ήκουον ὅτε συνεβούλευεν ήμεν " περὶ τοῦ διὰ μέσου τείχους." Gorg. 455. e. On which passage the Scholiast says, " διὰ μέσου τείχους, λέγει, δ " καὶ ἄγρι νῦν ἐστιν ἐν Ἑλλάδι. ἐν τῆ Μουνυχία γὰρ " ἐποίησε καὶ τὸ μέσον τεῖχος, τὸ μὲν βάλλον ἐπὶ τὸν "  $\Pi_{\epsilon i \rho a i \hat{a}}$ ,  $\tau \delta$   $\delta \hat{\epsilon}$   $\hat{\epsilon} \pi \hat{\iota}$   $\Phi \acute{a} \lambda \eta \rho a$ , (i. e. the two previously

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existing walls ran respectively to Peiræus, and Phalerum) τν', εἰ τὸ ἐν καταβληθῆ, τὸ ἄλλο ὑπηρετοίη ἄχρι "πολλοῦ." And Harpocration says, "τριῶν ὄντων τει- "χῶν ἐν τῆ 'Αττικῆ, ὡς καὶ 'Αριστοφάνης φησὶν ἐν "Τριφάλητι, τοῦ τε Βορείου καὶ τοῦ Νοτίου καὶ τοῦ "Φαληρικοῦ, διὰ μέσου τούτων ἐλέγετο τὸ Νότιον, οῦ "μνημονεύει καὶ Πλάτων ἐν Γοργία." In v. 'διὰ μέσου τεῖχος.' These several passages combined prove that there were three walls, of which the central one was called the southern, and was built twelve years after the two others. (Vid. Wordsworth, Ch. 24. Arnold's note on Thucydides, 11. 13. Goeller's Argumentum lib. 2. Thucyd.)

It is true, the central wall was not absolutely the most southern; but it was southern, in its relation to the outer Peiraic wall, which was commonly called the northern. " Λεόντιος ὁ ᾿Αγλαΐωνος ἀνιὼν ἐκ Πειραιῶς " ύπὸ τὸ βόρειον τεῖχος ἐκτός, αἰσθανόμενος νεκρούς " παρά τῷ δημείφ κειμένους." Plat. Rep. lib. IV. 439. e. These two walls were called the 'legs of the Peiraus.' " Κηθισσός έκ Τρινεμιών τὰς ἀρχὰς ἔχων ῥέων δὲ διὰ " τοῦ πεδίου, ἐφ' οῦ καὶ ἡ γέφυρα καὶ οἱ γεφυρισμοί " διὰ καὶ τῶν σκελῶν, τῶν ἀπὸ τοῦ ἄστεος εἰς τὸν " Πειραιά καθηκόντων, εκδίδωσιν είς το Φαληρικον " γειμαρρώδης τὸ πλέον, θέρους δὲ μειοῦται τελέως." Strabo, 1x. 581. Oxon. " βουλόμενος τούς φύλακας τοῦ " ἄστεος καὶ τοῦ Πειραίεως καὶ τῶν Σκελῶν τῶν ἄχρι θά-" λασσαν άγρύπνους περί την φυλακήν κατασκευάσαι." Polyan. 1. 40. Livy (xxx1. 26) and Propertius (III. xx1. 24) call them the 'arms.' Neither term could be applied with propriety to more than two walls. Vestiges of the outer and central walls still remain, which prove them to have run parallel to each other, at a distance of 550 feet. As they approached the city, they must have separated to a great width. The outer wall formed the most important of the defences; for Athens feared attack principally on that side.

"The northern long wall, which seems to have been "the only one originally in contemplation, was analogous " to a line of entrenchments, of four miles in length, "stretching from one large fortified town to another, for " the maintenance of communication between the two, as " well as for the protection of the whole province which "lay behind them. According to the ancient art of war, "the northern long wall, flanked by towers at intervals, " performed this service effectually, as it left to an army "entering the plain of Athens, from the Isthmus of "Corinth, no passage into the country to the southward "and eastward of Athens, except through the difficult "pass between the city and Mount Hymettus, or (which "would have been still more hazardous, with such a city "as Athens in the rear of the invader) by making the "circuit of Mount Hymettus. We find accordingly, that "the Lacedæmonians never attempted either of these "movements, and that this system of fortification was "perfectly successful, as long as Munychia was safe, " and the line of the long walls unbroken." Leake, p. The northern wall must have run up a considerable way on the western side of the city; for the space between its point of junction with the city

I cannot resist the temptation I feel to reprint the concluding remarks which M. Forchhammer has made on Col. Leake. "I have often (he says) contradicted "Müller in this work, and still more often the excellent "Col. Leake. With him this needs no excuse. I have "not done, as often happens in Germany, where there " are young and old men of science, who scruple not to "ridicule scientific works, which they do not take the "trouble to read or understand; nay, the subject of "which is entirely strange to them. Lively party zeal. "even in the cause of science, may be respectable; but "it is impossible for disgraceful behaviour, which would "be unpardonable even in boys, ever to be so. I do "not write this, in order to protect myself for the "future: but he who has been much abroad, and has "thereby become all the fonder of his own country, " has a keener sense of the disgrace and scorn, frequently "just, which is drawn upon us, in the judgment of "foreigners, by these petty critics. May every true "German raise his voice and influence against this, "were it but to guard against violations of decency! "Let it be said to those who delight in quarrelling, that "however much I may have been compelled to refute "the opinions of Col. Leake, at any rate I am speaking " of matters with which I am acquainted; that there is

"not one of his, or my own readers, who values as much "as I do his extraordinary services with respect to the "topography of Greece, and Asia Minor; and more "particularly that of Athens. And if this volume of "mine contains any emendations and opinions, calculated to produce renewed and closer investigation, let "him be thanked for it, who even by his errors led to "the right track, and but for whose work this topography of Athens would lack its principal merit, if "indeed it has any to boast of." p. 99. These generous and noble sentiments of M. Forchhammer do equal honour to his understanding and his heart.

The palace of the present king of Greece stands to the north-east of the Acropolis, near the old Diomean gate; and the modern University is still further to the north, on the outside of the place where the old Acharnian gate stood. The modern city occupies principally the northern and eastern parts of the old. It is to be hoped that the western side—the classic and venerable ground which contained the Areopagus, the Pnyx, the Agora, the Courts of Legislature and of Law of the ancient and famous Athenian people—will never be occupied by modern buildings. Excavation may settle much, that has hitherto baffled the ingenuity of the learned; and the future traveller may possibly be enabled

to walk about the disinterred Agora of Athens, with no more doubt respecting the position of the buildings which throughd it, than he now entertains respecting the pillar of Phocas in the Forum of Rome.

I cannot close this Preface without making my public acknowledgment of gratitude to M. Marx, teacher of German, London, for very great services rendered to me. His aid was as important as it was generous and disinterested.

I hope I shall not stand in need of apology, in the judgment of any scholar, for adopting the Greek character in a Map, intended only for those who understand the Greek language. To have used the Latin, would have produced an unnecessary disagreement between the map, and the text of the books quoted. Besides this, there are many Greek words, such as Φερρεφάττιον—Βουλευ-τήριον—'Αρχηγέτις—Πομπεῖον, &c., which are scarcely to be recognized under the disguise and disfigurement of a Latin dress. Surely, nothing but necessity can reconcile a Greek scholar to the use of such barbarous sounds and shapes.

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### EXPLANATORY INDEX.

# THE WALLS, GATES, AND SUBURBS OF ATHENS.

Thucydides, giving an account of the resources, and condition of Athens, at the commencement of the Peloponnesian war, has the following passage respecting the extent of the defences of the city—" τοῦ τε γὰρ " Φαληρικοῦ τείγους στάδιοι ήσαν πέντε καὶ τριάκοντα " πρὸς τὸν κύκλον τοῦ ἄστεος, καὶ αὐτοῦ τοῦ κύκλου τὸ " φυλασσόμενον τρεῖς καὶ τεσσαράκοντα ἔστι δὲ αὐτοῦ " δ καὶ ἀφύλακτον ήν, τὸ μεταξύ τοῦ τε μακροῦ καὶ τοῦ " Φαληρικού. τὰ δὲ μακρὰ τείχη πρὸς τὸν Πειραιᾶ " τεσσαράκοντα σταδίων, ων τὸ ἔξωθεν ἐτηρεῖτο. καὶ " τοῦ Πειραιῶς ξὺν Μουνυχία ἐξήκοντα μὲν σταδίων ὁ " απας περίβολος, τὸ δ' ἐν φυλακη ἢν ημισυ τούτου." Lib. 11. 13. The Scholiast, speaking of the space in the city walls which was left unguarded, says, it was 17 stades in length-" τουτέστι στάδιοι δεκαεπτά ο γάρ "όλος κύκλος σταδίων ην έξάκοντα." The whole length of fortified wall, therefore, amounted to 195 stades,\* or exactly 22 English miles. The Peiræus was the first

<sup>\*</sup> The length of the common Greek stade was 202 yds. 9 in. English In the Appendix to Hussey's 'Ancient Weights and Measures,' §. 13, are some very valuable remarks on the varieties in the value of the Greek stade.

part enclosed by this vast line of wall.\* Col. Leake has given a minute description of its fortifications, (p.331-44.) Themistocles commenced them in the year of his archonship, A. C. 481. Ol. LXXIV. 4. " ἔπεισε δὲ καὶ τοῦ " Πειοαιώς τὰ λοιπὰ ὁ Θεμιστοκλής οἰκοδομείν. ὑπ-" ηρκτο δ' αὐτοῦ πρότερον ἐπὶ της ἐκείνου ἀρχης ης " κατ' ενιαυτον 'Αθηναίοις ήρξε νομίζων τό τε χωρίον " καλὸν είναι, λιμένας έχον τρείς αὐτοφυείς, καὶ αὐτοὺς " ναυτικούς γεγενημένους μέγα προφέρειν ές τὸ κτήσασ-" θαι δύναμιν. της γάρ δη θαλάσσης πρώτος ετόλμησεν " είπειν ώς ανθεκτέα έστι, και την άρχην εύθυς ξυγκατ-" εσκεύαζε. καὶ ῷκοδόμησαν τῆ ἐκείνου γνώμη τὸ " πάχος τοῦ τείχους ὅπερ νῦν ἔτι δῆλόν ἐστι περὶ τὸν " Πειραιά. δύο γὰρ ἄμαξαι ἐναντίαι ἀλλήλαις τοὺς " λίθους επήγον. εντός δε ούτε χάλιξ ούτε πήλος ήν " άλλά ξυνφκοδομημένοι μέγαλοι λίθοι και έντομή έγ-" γώνιοι σιδήρφ πρὸς άλλήλους τὰ ἔξωθεν καὶ μολύβδφ " δεδεμένοι. τὸ δὲ ΰψος ημισυ μάλιστα ἐτελέσθη οδ " διενοείτο." Thucyd. 1. 93.

The walls of the city, properly so called,  $\tau \delta$  Ao $\tau \nu$ , were the next part of the work to be executed. The story of the jealousy felt by Lacedæmon, and the skilful diplomacy of Themistocles, on the occasion, is well known: it is given in detail by Thucydides, 1. 90—92. The walls retained visible proofs of the haste with which they had been erected. Thucydides, in a passage already quoted in the Preface, (lib. 1. 93) has told us so. Of this vast circumference of fortification, not a vestige has been discovered by modern research. The walls were

<sup>•</sup> The walls of Syracuse were 180 stadia in circumference: owing to their more circular shape, they must have enclosed a much larger area than the walls of Athens.

built A. C. 478: what their height was, is not known; but Appian says, that the Peiraic wall was 60 feet high, and probably the city walls were of the same height. "ἐπὶ τὸν Πειραιᾶ κατῆλθε, (sc. Sylla) κατακεκλεισ-" μένων ἐς τὰ τείχη τῶν πολεμίων. ὕψος δ' ἢν τὰ " τείχη πηχέων τεσσαράκοντα μάλιστα, καὶ εἴργαστο " ἐκ λίθου μεγάλου τε καὶ τετραγώνου." Appian. Bell. Mithrid. Ch. 30

The long walls were built 21 years later, shortly before the battle of Tanagra. Thucydides says (lib.1.93) " ήρξαντο δε κατά τους χρόνους τούτους (i.e. A.C. 457. " Ol. LXXX. 4.) καὶ τὰ μακρὰ τείχη ἐς θάλασσαν Αθηναῖοι " οἰκοδομεῖν, τό τε Φαληρόνδε καὶ τὸ ἐς Πειραιά: i.e. they began to build the long walls, I mean (Te) that which runs to Phalerum, and that which runs to Peiræus. Subsequently, a third long wall was erected, between these two. Æschines says, that this was built A. C.445. Ol. LXXXV. 3, at the time of the general pacification of Greece, by the 30 years truce—"εἰρήνην ἔτη τριάκοντα " ἐγάγομεν, ἢ τὸν δῆμον τψηλον ἤρε. καὶ τὸ μακρὸν " τείχος τὸ νότιον ἐτειχίσθη." De Falsa Legat. 302. Pericles was minister at the time, and Socrates is represented, in Plato, as stating that he was present when the debate on the subject took place. "Περικλεοῦς δέ " καλ αὐτὸς (εc. Socrates) ἤκουον ὅτε συνεβούλευεν ἡμῶν " περὶ τοῦ διὰ μέσου τείχους." Gorg. 455. e. On which passage the Scholiast says, " διὰ μέσου τεῖχους, λέγει, δ " καὶ ἄγρι νῦν ἐστιν ἐν Ἑλλάδι. ἐν τῆ Μουνυγία γὰρ " ἐποίησε καὶ τὸ μέσον τεῖγος, τὸ μὲν βάλλον ἐπὶ τὸν " Πειραια, τὸ δὲ ἐπὶ Φάληρα, (i. e. the two previously

existing walls ran respectively to Peiræus, and Phalerum) ἴν', εἰ τὸ εν καταβληθῆ, τὸ ἄλλο ὑπηρετοίη ἄχρι "πολλοῦ." And Harpocration says, "τριῶν ὄντων τει- "χῶν ἐν τῆ 'Αττικῆ, ὡς καὶ 'Αριστοφάνης φησὶν ἐν "Τριφάλητι, τοῦ τε Βορείου καὶ τοῦ Νοτίου καὶ τοῦ "Φαληρικοῦ, διὰ μέσου τούτων ἐλέγετο τὸ Νότιον, οὖ "μνημονεύει καὶ Πλάτων ἐν Γοργίᾳ." In v. 'διὰ μέσου τεῖχος.' These several passages combined prove that there were three walls, of which the central one was called the southern, and was built twelve years after the two others. (Vid. Wordsworth, Ch. 24. Arnold's note on Thucydides, 11. 13. Goeller's Argumentum lib. 2. Thucyd.)

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The city walls described an irregular circle of 60 stades: no vestiges of them remain on the east or the south. Col. Leake thinks that the total disappearance of the walls on these sides may be accounted for by the fact that they were built of brick. He quotes Vitruvius on this point, who savs—"Nonnullis civitatibus et publica " opera et privatas domos etiam regias a latere structas "licet videre; et primum Athenis murum, qui spectat "ad Hymettum montem et Pentelensem." lib. II. vIII. o. Pliny also says,-" Græci, præterquam ubi a silice fieri " poterat structura, parietes lateritios prætulere. Sunt " enim æterni, si ad perpendiculum fiant. De eo et "publica opera, et regias domos struxere; murum "Athenis, qui ad montem Hymettum spectat." N. H. XXXV. xIV. 49.

The course of the walls, as laid down in the map, is as follows:—Starting from the northern extremity of

the city, at the Acharnian gate, they ran eastward towards Mount Lycabettus.\* The first gate in this direction was the Diomean, and then came the gate of Diochares: between these two was the suburb of Cynosarges. The walls then curved round towards the south. The famous suburb called Lyceum, lay between the gate of Diochares, and the river Ilissus. The walls then crossed the river, passing to the south of the Stadium, and reached the Itonian gate, the southernmost point of the city: they then turned to the Hill Museum. passed to the west of this, and, taking a northern direction, came to the Peiraic gate. The walls continued northward, and came successively to the gates Dipylum, Hippades, and Melitenses. On the outside of these three gates was the beautiful suburb Cerameicus. From the Melitan gate they ran to the Acharnian.

These are all the gates which can be assigned, on satisfactory authority, to particular places. There is another, the Heriæan, for which no spot has yet been determined; and probably there were several more on the whole circuit of walls; but their position and names are alike unknown.

The most important entrance to the city of Athens was at the Dipylum. This gate had the name also of the "Thriasian," and "Sacred," because it led to Eleu-

<sup>\*</sup> Col. Leake, in his first edition, gives to Lycabettus the name of Anchesmus; and gives the name Lycabettus to the hill on the north of the Areopagus, which was called in later ages the "Hill of the Nymphs." He has corrected the error in his second edition. Anchesmus was the later, not the classical, name of Lycabettus. Vid. Wordsworth, Ch. VIII.

sis and the Thriasian plain. These two places are constantly spoken of together by Thucydides-" etchvov " πρώτον μεν 'Ελευσίνα καὶ τὸ Θριάσιον πέδον." 11.19; and he repeats the same expression several times in the following chapters. The Eleusinian and Thriasian gate were one and the same, and this gate was commonly called Dipylum. Plutarch, in his life of Pericles, says-" τὰς Θριασιούς πύλας αι νθν Διπύλον δνομάζονται." The same writer, in his life of Sylla, calls the Inner Cerameicus, "the Cerameicus within the Dipulum" -τον εντός τοῦ Διπύλου Κεραμεικόν. Ch. 14. sacred processions to Eleusis of course passed out through this gate: the procession of the Panathenaic festival always formed in the outer Cerameicus, and passed into the city by the same road: this may be seen from the story of the assassination of Hipparchus, as given by Thucydides, in his 6th Book-" kal ws " ἐπῆλθεν ἡ ἑορτή, Ἱππίας μὲν ἔξω ἐν τῷ Κεραμεικῷ " καλουμένφ μετά των δορυφόρων διεκόσμει, ως έκαστα " έχρην της πομπης προιέναι." ch. 57; and immediately after he adds that Harmodius and Aristogeiton " Loun-"σαν είσω τῶν πυλῶν, καὶ περιέτυχον τῷ Ἱππάρχω παρὰ "τὸ Λεωκόριον καλούμενον." This gate we have just seen was called Dipylum, and it was certainly the sacred gate through which the great national religious processions passed. "Είς Έλευσινα όδεύουσιν ἀπὸ τοῦ Κεραμεικοῦ " προπέμποντες τὸν Διόνυσον." Schol, ad Aristoph. Ran. 402. " Ίερα όδός έστιν ην οί μύσται πορεύονται απ' " ἄστεος ες 'Ελευσίνα." Harpocrat. in v. 'ίερὰ όδός.' This gate, standing, as it did, at the end of the hollow valley between the Areopagus and Pnyx, is said by Livy to lie "in the mouth" of the city. (Liv. xxx1. 24.) The outer Cerameicus was used as a cemetery, particularly for those who had been killed in battle. The whole procedure of their public interment is described by Thucydides, lib. 11. ch. 34, who says, amongst other things,—" τιθέασιν οὖν ἐς τὸ δημόσιον σῆμα, ὅ ἐστιν " ἐπὶ τοῦ καλλίστου προαστείου τῆς πόλεως, καὶ ἀεὶ ἐν " αὐτῷ θάπτουσι τοὺς ἐκ τῶν πολέμων, πλήν γε τοὺς " ἐν Μαραθῶνι ἐκείνων δὲ διαπρεπῆ τὴν ἀρετὴν κρίναν-" τες αὐτοῦ καὶ τὸν τάφον ἐποίησαν. Pausanias, lib. 1. ch. 29, gives a list of the principal tombs in the Cerameicus. Aristophanes, in his play of the Birds, has this passage—

ό Κεραμεικός δέξεται νώ.
δημόσια γὰρ ἵνα ταφῶμεν
φήσομεν πρὸς τοὺς στρατηγοὺς
μαχομένω τοῖς πολεμίοισιν
ἀποθανεῖν ἐν ᾿Ορνεαῖς.\* υ. 395.

At the end of this suburb was the famous Academy; and immediately to the north of the Academy stood Colonus, which the incomparable drama of Sophocles has immortalized.

Cicero opens the 5th Book of his treatise 'De Finibus Boni et Mali' with these words:—"Quum audissem "Antiochum, Brute, ut solebam, cum M. Pisone in eo "gymnasio quod Ptolemæum vocatur, unaque nobiscum

<sup>\*</sup> Κεραμεικόs is properly an adjective, ἄγρος being understood, "the potter's field, or quarter." In like manner the Tuileries of Paris must have been a place for making tiles. Pausanias gives an absurd derivation of the word Κεραμεικός—τὸ δὲ χωρίον (says he) τὸ μὲν ὅνομα ἔχει ἀπὸ ἣρωος Κεράμου, Διονύσου τε εἶναι καὶ ᾿Αριάδνης καὶ τούτου λεγομένου. I. 3.

" Q. Frater, et T. Pomponius, et L. Cicero frater noster cognatione patruelis, amore germanus, constituimus inter nos, ut ambulationem postmeridianam confice- remus in Academia, maxime quod is locus ab omni turba id temporis vacuus esset. Itaque ad tempus ad Pisonem omnes. Inde vario sermone sex illa a Dipylo stadia confecinius. Quum autem venissemus in Aca- demiæ non sine causa nobilitata spatia, solitudo erat ea quam volueramus." And a little after—" Me ipsum huc modo venientem convertebat ad sese Coloneus ille locus, cujus incola Sophocles ob oculos versabatur, quem scis quam admirer, quamque eo delecter." "'Ακαδημία λέγεται γυμνάσιον 'Αθήνησιν άπὸ 'Ακαδήμου ἀναθέντος καὶ τόπος λέγεται γὰρ " οὕτως ὁ Κεραμεικός." Hesych. in v. ''Ακαδημία.'

The 'Knights' Gate,' Ππαίδες πύλαι, probably stood to the north of the Dipylum. Plutarch quotes Heliodorus as his authority for saying that the orator Hyperides was buried near this gate—" τοὺς δὲ οἰκείους "τὰ ὀστᾶ λαβόντας θάψαι τε ἄμα τοῖς γονεῦσι πρὸ τῶν "Ίππάδων πυλῶν, ὡς φησὶν Ἡλιόδωρος ἐν τῷ τρίτφ περὶ "μνημάτων." Decem Orat. Vit. 9. "Philostratus makes "mention of a place in the Cerameicus, called Ἱππεῖς; "and it seems probable that the place derived this ap" pellation from some equestrian statues, which gave "name also to the neighbouring city gates." Leake, p. 373. "τὸ τῶν τεχνιτῶν βουλευτήριον, ὁ δὴ φκοδό-"μηται παρὰ τὰς τοῦ Κεραμεικοῦ πύλας οὐ πόρὸω τῶν "Ἱππέων." Philist. in Philagr. The burial place of so distinguished a family as that of Hyperides was

probably in the Cerameicus; and hence we are warranted in the conclusion that the 'Knight's Gate' led to this suburb. Hesychius merely says there was such a gate, without determining its position—"καὶ πύλαι "'Αθήνησιν Ίππάδες ἐκαλοῦντο." in v. ὑππάδα.

The 'Melitan Gate' was so named from leading into that region of the city which was called Melite. Between Melite and the city, there was a space called 'the hollow,' κοίλη. Marcellinus, in his life of Thucydides, p. 17, says— " πρός ταις Μελιτίσι πύλαις καλουμέναις έστιν έν Κοίλη " τὰ καλούμενα Κιμώνια μνήματα, ἔνθα δείκνυται 'Ηρο-" δότου καὶ Θουκυδίδου τάφος." And in the Fragment added to this life, though probably written by some other person, we read—" ἔστι δὲ αὐτοῦ τάφος πλησίον " τῶν πυλῶν ἐν χωρίω τῆς 'Αττικῆς δ Κοίλη καλείται." Pausanias also says, that Thucydides was buried here—" καί οἱ (sc. Thucvdidi) δολοφονηθέντι ώς κατήει " μυημά έστιν οὐ πόρρω πυλών Μελιτίδων." 1. 23. Herodotus says—" τέθαπται δὲ Κίμων πρὸ τοῦ ἄστεος, " πέρην της διά Κοίλης καλουμένης όδοῦ καταντίον δ' " αὐτοῦ αἱ ἵπποι τεθάφαται αὖται, αἱ τρεῖς 'Ολυμπιάδας " ἀνελόμεναι." VI. 103. Ælian gives further corroboration to this—" Μιλτιάδης δὲ τὰς ἔππους τὰς τρεῖς " 'Ολυμπιάδας ανελομένας ἔθαψεν ἐν Κεραμεικώ.' Hist. Anim. XII. 40. The Melitan gate, therefore, must have stood in the neighbourhood of the spot where it is placed on the map.

"The ancient demus of Acharnæ was situated at or "near the modern village of Menidhi. The gate which "led to it was called 'Acharnian,' and must have stood

" about the spot where the modern road to Menidhi " cuts the line of the ancient walls." Leake, p. 371. Hesychius testifies to the existence of the gate—" 'Αχ-" άρνη δημος της 'Αττικής. 'Αχαρνικαὶ πύλαι 'Αθήνη-" σιν.' in v. 'Αχάρνη.

The 'Diomean Gate' stood, of course, in the region of the city called Diomea. It led to the suburb Cynos-This was sacred to Hercules. Suidas gives the following account of the place, and its name—" Κυνόσ-" αργες τόπος τίς έστι παρ' 'Αθηναίοις, καὶ ίερον " 'Ηρακλέους, κατ' αιτίαν τοιαύτην. Δίομος ὁ 'Αθηναίος " ἔθυεν ἐν τῆ ἑστία εἶτα κύων λευκὸς παρών ἥρπασε τὸ " ίερεῖον, καὶ ἀπελθών είς τινὰ τόπον ἀπέθετο. ὁ δὲ " περιδεής ήν. έχρησε δε αὐτῷ ὁ θεὸς ὅτι εἰς ἐκεῖνον " τὸν τόπον οὖ τὸ ἱερεῖον ἀπέθετο, Ἡρακλέους βωμὸν " όφείλει ίδρύσασθαι. δθεν έκλήθη Κυνόσαργες." in voc. The story is corroborated by Pausanias, 1. 19, and Hesychius, in v. 'Κυνόσαργες.' Herodotus in two passages, v. 63. et vi. 116, speaks of a temple of Hercules standing in Cynosarges. This temple must have stood outside the Diomean gate; for Plutarch in his life of Themistocles, says, ch. 1. - " είς Κυνόσαργες - τοῦτο " δ' ἔστιν ἔξω πυλών γυμνάσιον 'Ηρακλέους;" and Diogenes Laertius says of Antisthenes—" διελέγετο δὲ ἐν

" τῶ Κυνοσάργει μικρὸν ἄπωθεν τῶν πυλῶν." Antisth.\*

<sup>\*</sup> Forchhammer (p. 95) says, that this sanctuary of Hercules Cynosarges adjoined the city walls, as the Heracleium did at Thebes, and formed part of the fortifications, as the Castrum Prætorium did at Rome. He thinks it probable that the Lyceium also abutted on the walls; and that this fact furnishes us with the reason why Pausanias in describing his route from the 'Gardens' to the Heracleium, mentions og ate. But the negative probability arising from the silence of Pausanias, who hardly ever mentions a gate at all, is not to be set in balance against the positive testimony of Plutarch and Laertius.

c. 6. Aristophanes speaks of the worship of Hercules in this district—

#### **ἐ**φρόντ**ισα**

δπόθ' Ἡράκλεια τὰν Διομείοις γίγνεται.

Ran. 651.

The region 'Diomea' was famous for a club of wits. "πλήθος δ' ἦν 'Αθήνησι τῆς σοφίας ταύτης. ἐν γοῦν "τῷ Διομέων 'Ηρακλείω συνελέγοντο, ἐξήκοντα ὄντες "τὸν ἀριθμόν." Athen. xiv. 3. The conceit and vanity of these wits provoked the anger of Aristophanes, who punished them by coining, and applying to them, the compound Διομειαλαζόνες. Acharn. 605.

The next gate of which we have any positive knowledge was that called the 'Gate of Diochares.' It led to the suburb Lyceium. Strabo says—" εἰσὶ μὲν οὖν αί " πηγαλ καθαρού και ποτίμου ύδατος, ώς φασιν, έκτὸς " τῶν Διοχάρους καλουμένων πυλών, πλησίον τοῦ Λυ-" κείου." lib. ix. p. 576. And again-" ἔστι δὲ τοιοῦτος " μάλιστα ὁ Ἰλισσός εκ θατέρου μέρους τοῦ ἄστεος " ρέων είς την αὐτην παραλίαν, ἐκ τῶν ὑπερ της "Αγρας " καλ τοῦ Λυκείου μερών, καλ της πηγης ην υμνηκεν έν " Φαίδρω Πλάτων." Id. p. 581. The passage of Plato to which he refers is in the commencement of the Phædrus—" δεῦρ' ἐκτραπόμενοι κατὰ τὸν Ἰλισσὸν ἴω-" μεν. \* \* \* ή τε γὰρ πλάτανος αὕτη μάλ ἀμφιλαφής " τε καὶ ὑψηλή \* \* \* ή γε αὖ πηγὴ χαριεστάτη ὑπὸ " της πλατάνου ρεί μάλα ψυχρού ύδατος, ως γε τῷ ποδὶ " τεκμήρασθαι." Plut. Phædr. 229. a. 230. b. This fountain was called 'the fountain of Panops,' as we learn from the opening sentence of the Lysis—" ἐπορ-

" ευόμην μεν έξ 'Ακαδημίας εὐθὺ Λυκείον τὴν ἔξω " τείχους ύπ' αὐτὸ τὸ τεῖχος ἐπειδὴ δ' ἐγενόμην κατὰ " την πυλίδα, ή ή Πάνοπος κρήνη, ενταθθα συνέτυχον " Ίπποθάλει." The route which the philosopher took is very easily traced. He walked, as he says, from the Academy, close to the city wall, northward to the Acharnian gate: he then turned round to the east, passed by the Diomean gate, through Cynosarges, and so arrived at the Lyceium. Both the fountain and plane-tree, by which he took his seat, are mentioned by "Cur non imitamur, Crasse, Socratem illum, " qui est in Phædro Platonis? nam me hæc tua plata-" nus admonuit, quæ non minus ad opacandum hunc "locum patulis est diffusa ramis, quam illa cujus um-"bram secutus est Socrates; quæ mihi videtur non " tam ipsa aquila quæ describitur, quam Platonis ora-"tione crevisse." De Orat. 1. 7.

Hesychius says that Panops was an Attic demi-god: 
"Πάνοψ ήρως 'Αττικός ἔστι δὲ αὐτοῦ καὶ νέως καὶ 
"ἄγαλμα, καὶ κρήνη." in voc. This is the account which Pausanias gives of the Lyceium—" Λύκειον δὲ 
"ἀπὸ μὲν Λύκου τοῦ Πανδίονος ἔχει τὸ ὅνομα, 'Απόλ"λωνος δὲ ἱερὸν ἐξαρχῆς τε εὐθὺς καὶ καθ' ἡμᾶς ἐνομί"ζετο. Λύκός τε ὁ θεὸς ἐνταῦθα ἀνομάσθη πρῶτον."

1. 19. The whole was dedicated to Apollo: it was adorned by various buildings, fountains, and walks. It was the Campus Martius of Athens, where military exercises were performed, as well as a Gymnasium for the athlete. "It was also one of the most favourite "places of resort for philosophical study and conversa-

"tion, and thus became the school of Aristotle, whose followers were called Peripatetics, from their custom of walking in the grove of the Lyceium." Leake, p. 144.

Aristophanes has the following passage—

καὶ γὰρ ἰκανὸν χρόνον ά-

-πολλύμεθα καὶ κατατε-

-τρίμμεθα πλανώμενοι

ές Λύκειον κάκ Λυκείου σύν δόρει σύν άσπίδι.

Pax, 354.

On which lines the Scholiast says—" τὸ Λύκειον δὲ γυμ" νάσιον ᾿Αθήνησιν, ὅπου πρὸ τοῦ πολέμου ἐδόκουν
" γυμνάζεσθαι. πρὸ γὰρ τῶν ἐξόδων ἐξοπλίσεις τινες
" ἐγένοντο ἐν τῷ Λυκείφ διὰ τὸ παρακεῖσθαι τŷ πόλει
" καὶ ἀποδείζεις τῶν μᾶλλον πολεμικῶν ἀνδρῶν."

Pausanias, in his description of Athens (1.19,) speaks of the place called Κήποι, or 'the Gardens,' as between the temple of Jupiter Olympius, and the Lyceium—"μετὰ δὲ τὸν ναὸν τοῦ Διὸς τοῦ 'Ολυμπίου πλησίον "ἄγαλμά ἐστιν 'Απόλλωνος Πυθίου' ἔστι δὲ καὶ ἄλλο " ἰερὸν 'Απόλλωνος Δελφινίου." And after giving an account of this temple, he adds—" ἐς δὲ τὸ χωρίον δ "Κήπους ὀνομάζουσι, καὶ τῆς 'Αφροδίτης τὸν ναὸν " οὐδεὶς λεγόμενός σφισιν ἐστὶ λόγος. \* \* \* τὸ δὲ "ἄγαλμα τῆς 'Αφροδίτης ἐν τοῦς Κήποις ἔργον ἐστὶν " 'Αλκαμένους." (Vid. Preface, p. 16.) Thucydides speaks of this Pythium as amongst the most ancient buildings of the city, (11. 15) and as being in its southern quarter. It is, therefore, not to be confounded with the Pythium in the Agora.

Plutarch thus alludes to the Delphinium—"ὅπου νῦν " ἐν Δελφινίφ τὸ περιφρακτόν ἐστιν. ἐνταῦθα γὰρ ὁ " Αἰγεὺς ἄκει." Thes. ch. 12. And again—" διὰ τοῦ " ἄστεος ἐλάσας, εἶτα τῷ 'Απόλλωνι τῷ Δελφινίφ κατ-" έθυσεν." Ch. 41. These passages prove that the Delphinium was in the southern, and most ancient part of Athens.\*

The place called Κηποι must have run along the banks of the Ilissus, and therefore occupied the space between the temple of Jupiter and the Lyceium. In this space also was an altar to the Ilissian Muses, which has now disappeared; but a temple, which probably contained it, was in existence in the year 1656. "ἐθέλουσι δὲ ᾿Αθηναῖοι καὶ ἄλλων θεῶν ἰερὸν εἶναι τὸν Εἰλισσόν. "καὶ Μουσῶν βωμὸς ἐπ' αὐτῷ ἐστιν Εἰλισσιάδων δείκ-" νυται δὲ καὶ ἔνθα Πελοποννήσιοι Κόδρον τὸν Μελάν-" θου βασιλεύοντα ᾿Αθηναίων κτείνουσι." Pausan. 1.19.

On the opposite, or southern bank of the Ilissus was the district called 'Agræ.' "διαβᾶσι δὲ τὰν Εἰ"λισσὸν χωρίον "Αγραι καλούμενον καὶ ναὸς 'Αγροτέρας
" ἐστὶν 'Αρτέμιδος." Pausan. 1.19. The two banks of the river were connected by a bridge, ruins of which are still visible.

The Panathenaic Stadium was in Agræ. Pausanias thus describes it—" τὸ δὲ ἀκούσασι μὲν οὐχ ὁμοίως " ἐπαγωγόν, θαῦμα δ' ἰδοῦσι, στάδιόν ἐστι λευκοῦ λι-" θου μέγεθος δὲ αὐτοῦ τῆδε ἄν τις μάλιστα τεκμαίροι-" το. ἄνωθεν ὅρους ὑπὲρ τὸν Εἰλισσὸν ἀρχόμενον ἐκ

<sup>\*</sup> With respect to the name 'Delphinius,' as given to Apollo, the student should consult Muller's History of the Dorians, book II. ch. 1. §. 5. and book II. ch. 2. §. 6.

" μηνοειδούς καθήκει του ποταμού πρός την δχθην, εὐθύ " τε καὶ διπλοῦν. τοῦτο ἀνὴρ Αθηναῖος ῷκοδόμησε, καί " οί τὸ πολύ τῆς λιθοτομίας τῆς Πεντέλησιν ές τὴν οί-" κοδομήν ἀνηλώθη." 1. 19. It is not known when the Stadium was first constructed. It was greatly improved by Lycurgus, son of Lycophron, A. C. 350, Ol. 107. 3, who added a podium, and levelled the bed of the Stadium itself. " τῷ σταδίω τῷ Παναθηναικῷ τὴν κρηπίδα περι-" έθηκεν έξεργασάμενος τοῦτο καὶ τὴν χαράδραν δμαλὴν " ποιήσας." Plutarch, decem Rhet, Vit. Lycurg. About 500 years later, Herodes finished it in the way described by Pausanias. According to Col. Leake's calculation, there may have been nearly 30 rows of seats, and they were capable of containing 25,000 spectators; but a much greater number might be assembled on the slope of the two hills. (p. 53.) The interior of the Stadium measures 630 English feet; the whole length of the part appropriated to the spectators measures 675 feet. Wordsworth says-"The Stadium of Athens was the " most remarkable monument on the south side of the "Ilissus. On this side a sloping bank runs parallel to "the river; and in this slope a semi-elliptical hollow, " facing the north, has been scooped out of the soil, of " somewhat more than 600 feet in length, and at right " angles to the river. This was the Athenian Stadium. "The shelving margins were once cased with seats of "white marble: it is now a long and grass-grown "hollow, retiring into the hill-side. The concave ex-" tremity of the stadium, which is its farthest point " from the Ilissus, is somewhat of a higher level than "that which is nearer to "it. The racer started from "the lower extremity, and, having completed one course "in a straight line  $(\delta\rho\delta\mu\rho_0$ , or  $\sigma\tau\delta\delta\iota\rho\nu$ ,) turned round "the point of curvature  $(\kappa a\mu\pi\tau\eta\rho)$  at the higher extremity, and thus descended in a line parallel to "that of his ascent, till he arrived at the goal  $(\beta a\lambda\beta l\varsigma)$ ," which was a point a little to the east of that from "which he had started: thus he accomplished a double "course  $(\delta\iota\alpha\nu\lambda\rho\varsigma)$ ." Ch. xx.

Pausanias says, that beyond the fountain of Callirhoe were two temples -- " ναολ δε ύπερ την κρήνην, ό μεν " Δήμητρος πεποίηται καὶ Κόρης, ἐν δὲ τῷ Τριπτολέμου " κείμενον ἐστιν ἄγαλμα." 1. 14. The temple of Ceres and Proserpine was called the Eleusinium, because in it the lesser Eleusinian mysteries were celebrated. "The mystic banks of the Ilissus (says Col. Leake) were "sanctified by the sacred lustrations, in which its waters "were employed in the lesser Eleusinian mysteries: " and such was the veneration in which the Eleusinium " was held, that when the whole population of Attica " crowded into the walls of Athens, at the beginning " of the Peloponnesian war, the Eleusinium and the "Acropolis were the only places which the people " scrupled to inhabit. οἱ δὲ πολλοὶ τά τε ἐρῆμα " της πόλεως φκησαν και τὰ ίερὰ και τὰ ήρφα πάντα " πλην της ἀκροπόλεως καὶ τοῦ Ελευσινίου καὶ εἴ τι " ἄλλο βεβαίως κληστον ήν. Thuc. 11. 17. An island " between the Stadium and Olympium, formed by the " diverging torrents of the Ilissus, seems well adapted " for a place that was closed and kept sacred from the

"vulgar; and the foundations of a building, still ob"servable in this island, may be those of the Eleusinium.
"\* \* \* The temple of Triptolemus, which Pausanias
"also places above Enneacrunus, was probably that
"beautiful little Ionic building, which the drawings of
"Stuart (vol. I. ch. 2) have preserved from oblivion. It
"formed in his time the church of Panaglia on the rock,
"but has now entirely disappeared." p. 115. Polyænus
shows, that the lesser Eleusinian mysteries were performed on the banks of the Ilissus—" ταῦτα μὲν δὴ
"συνέθεντο παρὰ τὸν Ἰλισσὸν οῦ τὸν καθαρμὸν τελοῦσι
"τοῖς ἐλάττοσι μυστηρίοις." Strateg. lib. v. ch. 7. And
Himerius—" ἐγὼ πατρικὸν ὅλβον ῥίψας εὐδαίμονα,
"παρ' Ἰλισσοῦ μυστικαῖς ὅχθαις ἐσκήνημαι." In Diogen.
ap. Photium.

Forchhammer places the temple of Ceres and Proserpine on the southern bank of the Ilissus, and objects to the Eleusinium being placed in the island, on the ground that, if it was there, "the route which Pausanias "took would become entangled." p. 48. If this is the only reason against the position of the temple, it does not seem conclusive; for it is often difficult, in spite of Forchhammer's opinion, to make out what rule Pausanias observed in taking his routes; or whether he observed any rule. Forchhammer places the temple a little to the north of the spot where the temple of Triptolemus appears in my map.

It is remarkable that Pausanias does not mention the name of the temple, in which there was a statue of Triptolemus. He says that there are two temples

beyond Callirhoe, I. xiv. i,—" ναοὶ δὲ ὑπὲρ τὴν κρή" νην, ὁ μέν Δήμητρος πεποίηται καὶ Κόρῆς, ἐν δὲ τῷ
" Τριπτολέμου κείμενον ἐστιν ἄγαλμα." And afterwards
he says, ibid.—" πρόσω δὲ ἰέναι με ὡρμημένον τοῦδε
" τοῦ λόγου, καὶ ὁπόσα ἐς ἐξήγησιν ἔχει τὸ ᾿Αθήνησιν
" ἱερὸν καλούμενον δὲ Ἐλευσίνιον, ἔπεσχεν ὄψις ὀνείρα" τος ἃ δὲ ἐς πάντας ὅσιον γράφειν, ἐς ταῦτα ἀποτρέψ" ομαι. πρὸ τοῦ ναοῦ τοῦδε, ἔνθα καὶ Τριπτολέμου
" ἄγαλμα, ἐστι βοῦς χαλκοῦς." It is impossible to
conjecture what reason so superstitious a mind as that
of Pausanias may have had for suppressing the name of
a temple; but whatever the name was, the building
was certainly near the temple of Ceres and Proserpine.

Immediately after speaking in these terms of the temple of Triptolemus, Pausanias adds—"ἔτι δὲ ἀπω"τέρω ναὸς Εὐκλείας, ἀνάθημα καὶ τοῦτο ἀπὸ Μήδων,
"οὶ τῆς χώρας Μαραθῶνα ἔσχον." ibid. 4. Pausanias also speaks of a temple at Thebes, dedicated to Diana Eucleia: "πλησίον δὲ 'Αρτέμιδος ναός ἐστιν Εὐκλείας."

IX. xvii.1. That there was a festival called Εὔκλεία, at Corinth, we learn from Xenophon, Hellen. IV. iv. 2,—
"ἐκεῖνοι δ᾽ Εὐκλείων τὴν τελευταίαν προείλοντο."

Forchhammer ingeniously conjectures (p. 48) that this temple may have been raised in gratitude to "Αρτεμις, (who was worshipped close by, under the title of 'Αγροτέρα,) for granting the prayers of the Λthenians, when they supplicated her to grant them victory, before the battle of Marathon.

Pausanias, in describing the entrance to Athens from Phalerum, says, that a statue of Antiope stood immediately inside the gate. "ἔστι δὲ κατὰ τὴν ὁδὸν τὴν ἐς "᾿Αθήνας ἐκ Φαληροῦ ναὸς "Ηρας \* \* \* ἐσελθόντων δὲ "ἐς τὴν πόλιν ἔστιν ᾿Αντιόπης μνῆμα ᾿Αμαζόνος." Ι.ΙΙ. Ι. We also learn from Plato, that this statue stood near the 'Itonian gate '—" ὡς δὲ θᾶττον τὴν παρὰ τὸ τεῖχος "ἤειμεν, ταῖς Ἰτωνίαις, πλησίον γὰρ ικει τῶν πυλῶν, "πρὸς τῆ ᾿Αμαζονίδι στήλη, καταλαμβάνομεν αὐτόν." Αχίοςλ. 565. α. Socrates was walking by the Ilissus, when he was called back to the city, to visit Axiochus. "ἐξιόντι μοι ἐς Κυνόσαργες καὶ γενομένω μοί κατὰ τὸν "Ἰλισσὸν διῆξε φωνὴ βοῶντός του, Σώκρατες, Σώκρατες· "ὡς δὲ περιστραφεὶς περιεσκόπουν ὁπόθεν εἴη,Κλεινίαν "ὁρῶ τὸν ᾿Αξιόχου θέοντα ἐπὶ Καλλιρόην." id. init. The position therefore of the 'Itonian gate ' is determined: it stood at the end of the Phaleric road.

Minerva was worshipped under the name of Itonia, from Itonus, a town in Thessaly. (Catull. LXIV. 228.)

αὐτὰρ ὅγ' ἀμφ' ὤμοισι Θεᾶς Ἰτωνίδος ἔργον δίπλακα πορφυρέην περονήσατο, τήν οἱ ὅπασσε Παλλάς. Apoll. Rhod. 1. 721.

As the 'Itonian gate' led to Phalerum, by an ¿μα-ξιτός, or carriage road, which ran between the Phaleric and long walls, so the 'Peiraic gate' led to the Piræus, by a carriage road which ran between the long walls. It is extremely improbable that any gate should have been called the 'Peiraic,' which did not lead most

directly to the Piræus: and consequently it is equally improbable that any gate to the north of that, which stood between the Museum and the Pnyx, should have had that name.

The position of the Peiraic gate therefore seems properly fixed between these two hills. Plutarch, in his life of Theseus, describes a battle between the Amazons and The Athenian army appears to have been Athenians. drawn up to the south and west of the Acropolis. extreme right occupied the hill Museum. They began the action by attacking the left of the Amazons, which was opposed to them. They were defeated, however, They fell back in the and compelled to retreat. direction of the Acropolis, and finally retreated to the temple of the Furies, where they held their ground. The slaughter of the Athenians, therefore, in all probability took place in the valley which lies between the hill Museum, the western end of the Acropolis, and the eastern end of the Pnyx.

Plutarch states that the slain were buried "in the "street that leads to the Peiraic gate," where their tombs were still to be seen; adding, that they were buried where they fell.

Plutarch also says, that the heroum of Chalcodon stood near the Peiraic gate,—" τὰς πύλας παρὰ τὸ Χαλκώδον-" τος ήρῶον, ᾶς νῦν Πειραϊκὰς ὀνομάζουσι." Plut. Thes. ch. 27. Pausanias, describing the road from the Piræus to the city, says,—" ἀνιόντων δε εκ Πειραιώς ερείπια " τῶν τειχῶν ἐστιν ἃ Κόνων ὕστερον τῆς πρὸς Κνίδον " ναυμαχίας ἀνέστησε \* \* \* ἔστι δὲ τάφος οὐ πόρρω

" τῶν πυλῶν, ἐπίθεμα ἔγων στρατιώτην ἵππω παρεστη-" κότα." 1. 2. Pausanias must mean the Peiraic gate; though when he begins his account of the city, in the very next paragraph, he seems to begin from the Dipylum.\* This may be accounted for by the superior importance and magnitude of the Dipylum. " well known (says Colonel Leake) that a man standing "by a horse was a common type on the monument of "a person who received heroic honours; a distinction "which became so common in the latter ages of Greece. "that sepulcral stones of the most ordinary kind are " still found in great numbers, with this type in relief, "accompanied by the person's name, with ηρως attached " to it. Now as we learn from Plutarch, that the " heroic monument of Chalcodon stood at the Peiraic "gate, there seems little doubt that the monument "described by Pausanias, at the gate by which he "entered Athens, was the heroum of Chalcodon, and "that the gate was the same called 'Peiraic,' by "Plutarch." p. 86. It is remarkable, that Pausanias adds, that he did not know whom the figure represented, though it was a work of Praxiteles—" ου τινα μέν οὐκ " οίδα, Πραξιτέλης δὲ καὶ τὸν ἵππον καὶ τὸν στρατιώτην " emolngev." Ibid. Possibly the name of Chalcodon had been altered into that of some Roman,-a thing very often done in the age of Pausanias; and he may have feared to give offence by telling the truth.

<sup>\*</sup> I have given my reasons for this opinion in the Preface, p. XI. seq.

## THE ACROPOLIS AND ADJACENT BUILDINGS.

The Acropolis of Athens stood on a rock, about 150 feet high: its surface on the summit is nearly level, and is about 1000 feet in length: the northern, eastern and southern sides of the rock were precipitous; the western extremity sloped to the plain below, and was therefore more easy of access. On this side accordingly an entrance to the Acropolis was constructed.

At about the centre, and the highest part of the platform, on the summit, stood the famous Parthenon. It was commenced A. C. 445, Ol. 83. 4, under the government of Pericles; Ictinus was its architect; and Phidias its sculptor.\* To the north of the Parthenon was the temple called 'Erectheium,' which name it gained from the circumstance that Erectheus was supposed to have been buried there. It was the temple dedicated to Minerva Polias. The configuration of the building

<sup>\*</sup> The whole of the Acropolis has been elaborately described by Colonel Leake in his eighth chapter. The student will do well to consult a translation of Welcker's "Essay on the Sculptured Groups "in the Pediments of the Parthenon," in the Classical Museum, vol. II. p. 367. Mr. Lucas, the sculptor, whose models of the Parthenon are in the British Museum, has also published some very valuable "Remarks "on the Parthenon." Salisbury, Brodie, 1845.

was remarkable; it had 3 porticoes; one at the eastern extremity, one at the north-western, and one on the south-western: this last was supported by Caryatides (κανηφόροι) instead of pillars. The temple had a triple division; its eastern chamber was specially dedicated to Minerva Polias, and the western to Pandrosus; hence called the 'Pandroseium.' The ground occupied by the south-western was supposed by popular belief to be the burial-place of Cecrops; hence it was called Cecropium.\*

This was the most ancient of all Athenian temples. It is mentioned both in the Iliad and Odyssey (Il. 11. 546-55. Odyss. vii. 80.) It contained the ancient image of Minerva, made of olive-wood, which was supposed to have fallen from heaven. (Vide Acta Apostol. xix. 35.) Pausanias says—" ίερα μέν της 'Αθηνάς έστιν " ή τε άλλη πόλις καὶ ή πασα όμοίως γή καὶ γὰρ ὅσοις " θεούς καθέστηκεν ἄλλους έν τοῖς δήμοις σέβειν, οὐδέν τι " ήσσον την 'Αθηναν άγουσιν έν τιμή: τὸ δὲ άγιώτατον " ἐν κοινῶ πολλοῖς πρότερον νομισθὲν ἔτεσιν ἡ συνήλ-" θον ἀπὸ τῶν δήμων, ἐστὶν 'Αθηνᾶς ἄγαλμα ἐν τῆ νῦν " ἀκροπόλει, τότε δε ονομαζομένη πόλει φήμη δε ές " αὐτὸ ἔγει πεσείν ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ." ι. 26. In the Erectheium was also that spring of sea-water, which Neptune produced by the stroke of his trident, to support his claim to the property of the Athenian Here was the impression of the trident which

<sup>\*</sup> The distribution of the various interior parts of the Erectheium has occasioned a good deal of difficulty and dispute. I must refer the reader to Dr. Wordsworth's XVIIth chapter, and Colonel Leake, p. 257—270.

was then left on the rock; and here also was the sacred olive-tree produced by Minerva. "'Αθηνᾶν καὶ Ποσει- "δῶνα ἀμφισβητῆσαι λέγουσι περὶ τῆς χώρας, ἀμφισ· "βητήσαντας δὲ ἔχειν ἐν κοινῷ· προστάξαι γὰρ οὕτω " Δία σφισι. καὶ διὰ τοῦτο 'Αθηνᾶν τε σέβουσι Πολι- "άδα, καὶ Σθενιάδα ὀνομάζοντες τὴν αὐτὴν καὶ Ποσει- "δῶνα βασιλέα ἐπίκλησιν. καὶ δὴ καὶ νόμισμα αὐτοῖς " τὸ ἀρχαῖον ἐπίσημα ἔχει τρίαιναν, καὶ 'Αθηνᾶς πρόσ- "ωπον." Pausan. II. xxx. "Πεποίηται δὲ (sc. in the Acropolis) " καὶ τὸ φυτὸν τῆς ἐλαίας 'Αθηνᾶ, καὶ κῦμα " ἀναφαίνων Ποσειδῶν." 1. 24.

The old Erectheium was totally destroyed by Xerxes. Herodotus, in describing his capture of the Acropolis, says—" ἔστι ἐν τῷ ἀκροπόλι ταύτη Ἐρεχθέος τοῦ γη-" γενέος λεγομένου εἶναι νηός, ἐν τῷ ἐλαίη τε καὶ θά-" λασσα ἔνι τὰ λόγος παρὰ ᾿Αθηναίων Ποσειδέωνά τε " καὶ ᾿Αθηναίην, ἐρίσαντας περὶ τῆς χώρας μαρτύρια " θέσθαι ταύτην ὧν τὴν ἐλαίην ἄμα τῷ ἄλλῳ ἰρῷ " κατέλαβε ἐμπρησθῆναι ὑπὸ τῶν βαρβάρων δευτέρη " δὲ ἡμέρη ἀπὸ τῆς ἐμπρήσιος, ᾿Αθηναίων οἱ θύειν ὑπὸ "βασιλέος κελευόμενοι, ὡς ἀνέβησαν ἐς τὸ ἰρὸν ὥρων "βλαστὸν ἐκ τοῦ στελέχεος ὅσον τε πηχυαίον ἀναδε-" δραμηκότα." VIII. 55. "Æschylus seems to draw " his picture from this object (viz. the impression " made by the trident) in the Athenian citadel, when " he says of an Argive temple:—

" ὁρῶ τρίαιναν τήνδε, σημεῖον θεοῦ. Suppl. 218.

<sup>&</sup>quot; Hegesias applies this identical expression to the "trident in the Erectheium: ὁρῶ τὴν ἀκρόπολιν καὶ "τὸ περὶ τῆς τριαίνης ἔχει τι σημεῖον." (Words-

worth, p. 133.) In the contest between Minerva and Neptune, the twelve gods sate as judges—" ηκεν οὖν " πρώτος Ποσειδών έπὶ τὴν Αττικὴν καὶ πλήξας τῆ " τριαίνη κατά μεσην την ακρόπολιν ανέφηνε θάλασσαν.\* " ην νυν Ερεγθήϊδα καλούσι, μετά δὲ τούτον ήκεν " 'Αθηνά' καὶ ποιησαμένη της καταληψέως Κέκροπα " μάρτυρα εφύτευσεν ελαίαν ή νῦν εν τῷ Πανδροσίο " δείκνυται γενομένης δε έριδος άμφοιν περί της γώρας. " 'Αθηνάν καὶ Ποσειδώνα διαλύσας Ζεύς κριτάς ἔδωκεν. "οὐγ. ὡς εἶπόν τινες, Κέκροπα καὶ Κραναὸν, οὕδε Ερεχ-" θέα, θεούς δὲ τούς δώδεκα. καὶ τούτων δικαζόντων ή " γώρα της 'Αθηνας εκρίθη, Κέκροπος μαρτυρήσαντος " ὅτι πρῶτον τὴν ἐλαίαν ἐφύτευσεν. ᾿Αθηνᾶ μὲν οὖν " ἀφ' ἐαυτῆς τὴν πόλιν ἐκάλεσεν Αθήνας. Ποσειδῶν " δὲ θυμῷ ὀργισθεὶς, τὸ Θριάσιον πέδιον ἐπέκλυσε καὶ " την 'Αττικην υφαλον εποίησε." Apollod. ΙΙΙ. xIV. I.

This contest between a deity of the sea, and one of the land, symbolizes the fact, that Attica had once been under water; from which it was subsequently recovered. Dr. Wordsworth's description of the appearance of Athens, as viewed from the hill of St. George (Lycabettus,) furnishes a curious illustration of this solution of the myth—"This peculiar form" (of Athens and its neighbourhood) "might here be imagined to "have been produced by some such process as this. "It looks as if the surface of the country had once been

<sup>\*</sup> The Latin poets represent Neptune to have produced the horse in this contest. (Virg. Georg. 1.12.) The expression of Statius, Theb. XII. 632—"refugum mare," seems doubtful: though Bentley, ad Hor. Od. I. VII. 5, does not hesitate to apply the words to the salt-spring. In Ovid. Met. VI.77, the various readings 'fretum' and 'ferum' render his testimony also doubtful.

"in a fluid state, swelling in huge waves, and that then some of these waves had been suddenly fixed in their places into solid and compact rock, while the rest were permitted to subside away into a wide plain. By some such agency as this we might fancy that the objects now before us had been produced." p. 55.

Pausanias (1. 27) gives an account of the statues in the Acropolis. He says—" πρὸς δὲ τῷ ναῷ τῆς ᾿Αθηνᾶς (εc. Poliadis) \* \* "ἐστὶν ἀγάλματα μεγάλα χαλκοῦ, " διεστῶτες ἄνδρες ἐς μάχην καὶ τὸν μὲν Ἐρεχθέα " καλοῦσι, τὸν δὲ Εὔμολπον καίτοι λέληθέ γε οὐδὲ " ᾿Αθηναίων ὅσοι τὰ ἀρχαῖα ἴσασιν, Ἰμμάραδον εἶναι " παῖδα Εὐμόλπου τοῦτον, τὸν ἀποθανόντα ὑπὸ Ἐρεχ-" θέως." These colossal statues stood between the Parthenon and Erectheium.

Between the western end of the Erectheium and the Propylæa was the magnificent and gigantic figure of Minerva Promachos. It was the work of Phidias: it was made of bronze, and was 70 feet in height. The head of it could be seen by sailors, on the voyage from Sunium to the Piræus. The goddess was represented erect, with shield, helmet, and spear: she stood at the entrance of her chosen Acropolis, as its champion  $(\pi \rho \dot{\rho} \mu a \chi o s)$  and guardian. Demosthenes thus speaks of it—"  $\dot{a}\lambda\lambda$ '  $\ddot{o}\lambda\eta s$   $o\ddot{v}\sigma\eta s$   $i\epsilon\rho as$   $\dot{\tau}\eta s$   $a\kappa\rho\sigma\sigma\dot{\delta}\lambda\epsilon\omega s$   $\tau au\tau\eta\sigma\dot{\epsilon}$ , "  $\kappa a\lambda$   $\sigma o\lambda\lambda\dot{\eta}\nu$   $\epsilon\dot{\nu}\rho\nu\chi\omega\rho\dot{\epsilon}a\nu$   $\dot{\epsilon}\chi o\dot{\nu}\sigma\eta s$   $\pi a\rho\dot{a}$   $\tau\dot{\eta}\nu$   $\chi a\lambda\kappa\dot{\eta}\nu$  "  $\tau\dot{\eta}\nu$   $\mu\epsilon\gamma\dot{a}\lambda\eta\nu$  '  $\lambda\theta\eta\nu\dot{a}\nu$   $\dot{\epsilon}\kappa$   $\delta\epsilon\xi\iota \dot{a}s$   $\xi\sigma\tau\eta\kappa\epsilon\nu$ , (viz. an " inscription)  $\dot{\eta}\nu$   $\dot{a}\rho\iota\sigma\tau\dot{\epsilon}\iota o\nu$   $\dot{\eta}$   $\pi\dot{o}\lambda\iota s$   $\tau o\dot{\nu}$   $\tau \rho\dot{\nu}s$   $\tau o\dot{\nu}s$   $\beta a\rho$ —"  $\beta\dot{a}\rho o\nu s$   $\pi o\lambda\dot{\epsilon}\mu o\nu$ ,  $\delta\dot{o}\nu\tau\omega\nu$   $\tau\dot{\omega}\nu$  '  $E\lambda\lambda\dot{\eta}\nu\omega\nu$   $\tau\dot{a}$   $\chi\rho\dot{\eta}\mu a\tau a$  "  $\tau a\hat{\nu}\tau$ ',  $\dot{a}\nu\dot{\epsilon}\theta\eta\kappa\epsilon\nu$ ." De falsa Legat. 428.

Pausanias says there was a statue of Zevs Πολιεύs in the Acropolis, (1. 24) and Aristophanes, in the Plutus, plainly refers to this statue, as occupying the place which is indicated by Pausanias; viz. to the west of the Parthenon—

'1δρυσόμεθ' οὖν αὐτίκα μάλ', ἀλλὰ περίμενε, τὸν Πλοῦτον, οὖπερ πρότερον ἦν ἱδρυμένος (&c. Ζεύς) τὸν ὀπισθόδομον ἀεὶ φυλάττων τῆς θεοῦ. 1191.

The ὀπισθόδομος was the public treasury, and Plutus was a very fit deity to be placed near it, as its guardian. The comic poet implies that Jupiter had not taken such care of the public treasure as the tutelar god of the city (Πολιεύς) ought to have taken. The whole Acropolis was crowded with works of art.\*

The 'Propylæa,' or fortified entrance to the Acropolis, was begun A. C. 437, Ol. 85. 4. It took five years to build. Mnesicles was the architect. It was commenced under the auspices and government of Pericles, in the archonship of Euthymenes. It was the greatest work of civil architecture which the Athenians produced. It appears that they held it in no less admiration than they held the Parthenon. Demosthenes couples the

<sup>\*</sup> Dr. Wordsworth indeed, (p. 102) referring to the noble dithyrambic fragment of Pindar, Frag. 45, ed. Cookesley—

δεῦτ' ἐν χορόν, 'Ολύμπιοι, ἐπί τε κλυτὰν πέμπετε χάριν, Θεοί, πολύβατον οίτ' ἄστεος δμφαλὰν θυόεντα ἐν ταῖς ἱεραῖς 'Αθάναις

έν ταῖς lepaîs 'Αθάναις οἰχνεῖτε πανδαίδαλον τ' εὐκλέ' ἀγοράν— expresses his conviction that ὀμφαλόν means the Acropolis. I confess I cannot agree with him. I look upon the words πανδαίδαλόν τ' εὐκλέ' ἀγοράν, as explanatory of ὀμφαλόν. It is worth while to remember that Pindar died A. C. 442, Ol. 84. 3, before the great works of Pericles had been executed.

two, as if they were equally great national works-" οἱ τὰ Προπύλαια καὶ τὸν Παρθενῶνα οἰκοδομήσαντες " ἐκεῖνοι καὶ τἄλλα πάντα ἀπὸ τῶν βαρβάρων ἱερὰ " κοσμήσαντες έφ' οις φιλοτιμούμεθα πάντες είκοτως." Contr. Androt. 507. Again, he says—" οἰκοδομήματα " μέν γε και κόσμον της πόλεως και ίερων και λιμένων " καλ των άκολούθων τούτοις τοιούτον καλ τοσούτον " κατέλιπον εκείνοι, ώστε μηδένι των επυγενομένων " ὑπερβολὴν λελεῖφθαι. προπύλαια ταθτα, ὁ Παρθενών, " νεώσοικοι, στοαί, τάλλα, οίς εκείνοι κοσμήσαντες την " πόλιν ήμιν παρέδωκαν." περί συνταξ. 174. Æschines quotes a remarkable observation of a Theban general, who-" ουν υποπτήξας τὸ τῶν 'Αθηναίων ἀξίωμα, εἶπε " διαρρήδην εν τώ πλήθει των Θηβαίων, ώς δεί τα τής " 'Αθηναίων ακροπόλεως Προπύλαια μετενέγκειν είς την " προστασίαν της Καδμείας." De Fals. Leg. 42; as if the Propylæa symbolized the power of Athens.

There were in this building five magnificent bronze gates. Aristophanes, Equit. 1326, speaks of their being thrown open, to receive king Demus. Thucydides (11. 13) speaks of the expense of the Propylæa—"τὰ γὰρ "πλεῖστα τριακοσίων ἀποδέοντα μύρια ἐγένετο, ἀφ' ὧν "ἔς τε τὰ Προπύλαια τῆς ἀκροπόλεως καὶ τἄλλα οἰκο- "δομήματα καὶ ἐς Ποτίδαιαν ἀπανηλώθη." Cicero, speaking of extravagance, says—" Demetrius Phalereus " Periclem principem Græciæ vituperat, quod tantam " pecuniam in præclara illa Propylæa conjecerit." De Offic. 11. 17.\*

The northern wall of the Acropolis, together with

<sup>\*</sup> Col. Leake has some valuable observations on the cost of the works of Pericles, p. 406-419.

some space of ground below it, was called the "Pelas-"gicum:" the fortification gained its name from having been built by the Pelasgi; and the district, from having been the place of their abode.\* "τό τε Πελασγικόν " καλούμενον τὸ ὑπὸ τὴν ἀκρόπολιν, δ καὶ ἐπάρατόν τε " ην μη οἰκεῖν και τι και Πυθικοῦ μαντείου ἀκροτελεύ-" τιον τοιόνδε διεκώλυε, λέγον ώς

" τὸ Πελασγικὸν ἀργὸν ἄμεινον.

" όμως ὑπὸ τῆς παραχρῆμα ἀνάγκης (viz. the occupation of Attica by the Peloponnesians) " εξωκήθη." Thucyd, 11. 17. Aristophanes, in his play of the 'Birds,' says-

τίς δαὶ καθέξει της πόλεως τὸ Πελαργικόν: ν. 832. On which the Scholiast remarks—ὅτι ᾿Αθήνησι τὸ Πελαργικον τείγος εν τη άκροπόλει, οδ μέμνηται Καλλίμαχος-"Τυρσηνών τείχισμα Πελαργικόν." And Bentlev observes on this-" Pelargicum idem quod Pelasgicum: "et Tyrrheni iidem qui Pelasgi." Herodotus (vr. 137) states, that the Athenians expelled the Pelasgi from their settlement under Mount Hymettus, which they

<sup>\*</sup> On the difficult subject of the Pelasgi, and the Tyrrhenian Pelasgians, the student should consult the "Introduction to Wachsmuth's "Historical Antiquities," Introd. §. 9; and Appendix, v. p. 444. vol. I. Raglish translation. The Pelasgi were at all events skilful masons: but their history is as difficult to discover, as if they were 'free-masons.'
The walls called 'Cyclopian' should, no doubt, be called 'Pelasgian.' The etymologies given of the word Πελασγοί are countless. I cannot help thinking that πελ, dark, Lat. pullus, is the root; and I would assign the same root to Πέλοψ. Etymologists are agreed in giving πελ ἀργός, as the component parts of the word πελαργός, a stork, which bird was so called from its plumage being a mixture of black and which feathers. It is possibly in reference to this etymology, that the Hesiodic poet Asius, quoted by Pausanias, lib. VIII. 1, says, that 'the 'dark corth' produced Pelasgus—

αντίθεον δὲ Πελασγὸν ἐν ὑψικόμοισιν δρεσσι

had received—" μισθὸν τοῦ τείχεος τοῦ περὶ τὴν ἀκρο-" πολίν κοτε ἐληλαμένου."

The southern side of the Acropolis was fortified by Cimon, and called indifferently Κιμώνιον, or Νότιον. Pausanias says-" τη δε ακροπόλει, πλην δσον Κίμων " φκοδόμησεν αὐτης ὁ Μιλτιάδου, περιβαλείν τὸ λοιπὸν " λέγεται τοῦ τείχους Πελασγούς οἰκήσαντάς ποτε ὑπὸ " την ἀκρόπολιν." 1. 28. Herodotus (v. 64) calls the whole Acropolis 'the Pelasgian fortress'-" Κλεομένης " δὲ ἀπικόμενος ἐς τὸ ἄστυ ἄμα ᾿Αθηναίων τοῖσι βου-" λομένοισι είναι έλευθέροισι, ἐπολιόρκεε τοὺς τυράν-" νους ἀπεργμένους ἐν τῶ Πελασγικῶ τείχει." Plutarch, in his comparison of Cimon with Lucullus, says particularly, that the former dedicated some part of the spoils he had gained in war to the purpose of building "the southern wall of the Acropolis:" it was thence called 'Cimonian;' but the northern side always retained its original name of 'Pelasgic.'

The old Pelasgic works had fallen into decay, however, before Xerxes invaded Greece. After his retreat, it was the first care of Themistocles to fortify the Acropolis; and Cimon subsequently completed the work on the southern face of the rock. The greater part of the existing walls, though disfigured by successive alterations and repairs, are undoubtedly the work of those two celebrated Athenians.

Beginning our tour of the lower part of the Acropolis at the north-western corner, the first object we arrive at is the  $K\lambda\epsilon\dot{\psi}\dot{\nu}\delta\rho a$ , a fountain which gained its name from the supposed fact of its having a subterranean

communication with Phalerum. "καταβᾶσι δὲ οὐκ ἐς "τὴν κάτω πόλιν, ἀλλ' ὅσον ὑπὸ τὰ Προπυλαῖα πηγή "τε ὕδατός ἐστι καὶ πλησίον 'Απόλλωνος ἱερὸν ἐν "σπηλαίω καὶ Πανός." Pausan. 1. 28. Both these objects still exist. Aristophanes, Lysistrata, 911, testifies to their proximity—

ΚΙΝΗ. ὅπου τὸ τοῦ Πανός, καλόν.

MTP. καὶ πῶς ἔθ' ἀγνὴ δῆτ' ᾶν ἔλθοιμ' ἐς πόλιν; KINH. κάλλιστα δήπου, λουσαμένη τῆ Κλεψύδρα.

In another passage, Aves, 1694, he thus speaks of the fountain—

ἔστι δ' ἐν Φαναῖσι πρὸς τῆ Κλεψύδρα πανοῦργον ἐγ--γλωττογαστόρων γένος.

On which passage the Scholiast remarks—κρήνη ἐν ἀκροπόλει ἡ Κλεψύδρα.—οὕτως δὲ ἀνόμασται, ἐπείδη ἀρχομένων ἐτησίων πληροῦται . . . εἰς ταύτην δὲ φησιν (sc. Istrus) ἡματωμένην φιάλην ἐμπεσοῦσαν ὀφθῆναι ἐν τῷ Φαληρικῷ, ἀπέχοντι σταδίους εἴκοσι. And again, on the previously quoted passage from the Lysistrata, the Scholiast says—πλησίον τοῦ Πανείου ἡ Κλεψύδρα. \* \* \* ἐν τῆ ἀκροπόλει ἡν κρήνη ἡ Κλεψύδρα, πρότερον Ἐμπεδὰ λεγομένη ἀνομάσθη δὲ Κλεψύδρα διὰ τὸ ποτὲ μὲν πλημμυρεῖν, ποτὲ δὲ ἐνδεῖν. ἔχει δὲ τὰς ῥεύσεις ὑπὸ γῆν, φέρουσα εἰς τῶν Φαληρέων λιμένα.\* The fountain was, and is still, accessible by a secret passage of stairs from the northern wing of the Propylæa.

<sup>\*</sup> These last words are an admirable emendation by Dr. Wordsworth of the corrupt reading—την Φλεγρεώδη λειμώνα.

Pausanias gives the following reason for the special honour paid by the Athenians to Pan-" mepl δè τοῦ " Πανός φασιν, ώς πεμφθείη Φιλιππίδης ες Λακεδαίμονα " ἄγγελος ἀποβεβηκότων Μήδων ἐς τὴν γῆν ἐπανήκων " δε Λακεδαιμονίους υπερβαλέσθαι φαίη την έξοδον " είναι γὰρ δὴ νόμον αὐτοῖς μὴ πρότερον μαχουμένους " έξιέναι, πρίν ή πλήρη τον κύκλον τής σελήνης γενέσ-" θαι τον δε Πανα ο Φιλιππίδης έλεγε περί το δρος " ἐντύγοντά οἱ τὸ Παρθένιον, φάναι τε ώς εὔνους Αθη-" ναίοις είη και ότι ες Μαραθώνα ήξοι συμμαχήσων. " οὖτος μὲν οὖν ὁ Θεὸς ἐπὶ ταύτη τῆ ἀγγελία τετίμηται." 1. 28. This is merely a repetition of the story told by Herodotus, v1. 105, who concludes by saying "'Aθηναίοι "... ιδρύσαντο ύπὸ τἢ ἀκροπόλι Πανὸς ίρόν, καὶ " αὐτὸν ἀπὸ ταύτης τῆς ἀγγελίης θυσίησι ἐπετείησι καὶ " λαμπάδι ἰλάσκονται." In this grotto Miltiades probably dedicated that statue of Pan, for which Simonides furnished the inscription-

τὸν τραγόπουν ἐμὲ Πᾶνα τὸν ᾿Αρκάδα, τὸν κατὰ Μήδων,

τὸν μετ' 'Αθηναίων, στήσατο Μιλτιάδης.

Anthol. Gr. v. 1. p. LXIII. 21.\*

The water of the fountain Clepsydra was conveyed by an aqueduct ( $\delta\chi\epsilon\tau$ os)—some vestiges of which still remain—to a building called the 'Temple of the Winds,' or the 'Horologium of Cyrrhestes.' This was an octagonal tower, erected by Andronicus of Cyrrha. The building, which still exists, stood on part of the ground supposed to have been occupied by the New Agora.

<sup>\*</sup> The position of the Lupercal, at the foot of the Palatine Mount at Rome, resembles that of the Havelov at Athens.

Vitruvius thus describes it—"Andronicus Cyrrhestes "collocavit Athenis turrim marmoream octogonon, et "in singulis lateribus octogoni singulorum ventorum "imagines exsculptas contra suos cujusque flatus desig-"navit, supraque eam turrim metam (a pillar) marmor-"eam perfecit, et insuper Tritonem æreum collocavit, "dextra manu virgam porrigentem: et ita est machi-"natus, uti vento circumageretur et semper contra "flatum consisteret, supraque imaginem flantis venti "indicem virgam teneret." 1. ch. 6.

The figures of the eight winds are described by Dr. Wordsworth, Ch. 19: they were copied by Stuart, and are engraved in the first volume of his 'Antiquities of Athens.' The name of each wind is written over it; and they stand in this order—

North. Bopéas.

N. E. Kaiklas.

East. 'Απηλιώτης.

S. E.  $\mathbf{E}\hat{v}\rho\sigma\varsigma$ .

South. Nótos.

S. W. Aly.

West. Ζέφυρος.

Ν. Ψ. Σκίρων.

The principal purpose for which this tower was built was, to act as a clock, which it did in two ways: on the outer walls were drawn horary lines, which with gnomons above them formed a series of sun dials; and, within, it contained a clepsydra, or water-clock: hence it was called 'horologium.' Hesychius says—"Κλεψύδρα ώρολόγιον, "δργανον, ἐν ῷ αἰ ὧραι μετροῦνται." in voc. Water-clocks were called by either name. "Athenis in Horo-

"logio, quod fecit Cyrrhestes." Varro de Re Rust. 111. 5. Pliny, in the last chapter of his Seventh Book of Natural History, gives an account of the various ways in which time had been measured at Rome; and he ends by saying—"Scipio Nasica collega Lænatis primus aqua divisit horas æque noctium ac dierum: idque horologium sub tecto dicavit, A. U. C. 595. Tamdiu populo Romano indiscreta lux fuit." "The tower of Cyrrhestes, placed in the public square, was the city clock of Athens. By it the affairs of the inhabitants were regulated. "The law courts sat, and merchants transacted their business, from its dictation." Wordsworth, p. 152.

About sixty yards to the east of the cave of Pan, in the northern face of the rock, is another cave, between which and the Acropolis a subterranean passage has been discovered. There can be no doubt that this is the cave of Agraulos. Below this cave stood the 'Ανάμειον, or temple of the Dioscuri. Pausanias says—" τὸ δὲ ἰερὸν "τῶν Διοσκούρων ἐστὶν ἀρχαῖον \* \* \* ὑπὲρ δὲ τῶν " Διοσκούρων τὸ ἰερὸν 'Αγλαύρου (so Pausanias writes " the word, instead of 'Αγραύλου) τέμενός ἐστιν." 1.18. The proximity of the caves of Pan and Agraulos is thus attested by Euripides—

ώ Πανὸς θακήματα καὶ παραυλίζουσα πέτρα μυχώδεσι Μακραῖς, ἵνα χοροὺς στείβουσι ποδοῖν ᾿Αγραύλου κόραι τρίγονοι στάδια χλοερὰ πρὸ Παλλάδος ναῶν. Ιοπ, 492.

<sup>\*</sup> The reader may see an amusing account of water-clocks in 'Beck-mann's History of Inventions,' Vol. I. p. 82. London, Bohn.

The northern cliffs were called Marpai.

ἔνθα προσβόρρους πέτρας Παλλάδος ὑπὰ ὄχθω τῆς ᾿Αθηναίων χθονὸς Μακρὰς καλοῦσι γῆς ἄνακτες Ἦτθιδος. ibid. 11.

Dr. Wordsworth (p. 86) gives a beautiful historical illustration of the neighbourhood of the Agrauleium and Anaceium. "The same conclusion" (viz. that there was a subterraneous communication between the cave of Agraulos and the Acropolis) "arises from a con-"sideration of a stratagem of Peisistratus. (Polyan. " Strateg. 1. 21.) He convened the Athenians in the "Anaceium, which was below the Agrauleium, to the "north, with the view of disarming them. While he "was addressing them there, they laid down their arms. "The partizans of Peisistratus seize the arms so laid "down, and convey them to the Agrauleium. They "were probably conveyed there, because of the com-" munication between that place and the Acropolis, by "means of which they might be readily taken to the "armoury of Peisistratus in the citadel itself." passage from Polyenus is as follows—" Πεισίστρατος " 'Αθηναίων τὰ ὅπλα βουλόμενος παρελέσθαι, παρήγ-" γειλεν ήκειν απαντας είς τὸ Ανάκειον μετὰ τῶν ὅπλων " οί μεν ήκον. ό δε προήλθε δημηγορήσαι βουλόμενος " καὶ σμικρά τη φωνή λέγειν ήρχετο. οί δὲ ἐξακούειν " μη δυνάμενοι προελθείν αὐτὸν ηξίωσαν εἰς τὸ Προπύ. " λαιον, ΐνα πάντες έξακούσειαν έπει δε δ μεν ήσυχη " διελέγετο, οἱ δὲ ἐκτείναντες τὰς ἀκοὰς προσεῖχον, οἱ " ἐπίκουροι προελθόντες καὶ τὰ ὅπλα ἀράμενοι κατήνεγ-" καν είς τὸ ἱερὸν τὴς 'Αγραύλου."

Herodotus, in describing the siege of the Acropolis by Xerxes, (VIII. 52-3) says—" ἔμπροσθε ὧν πρὸ τῆς " ἀκροπόλιος, ὅπισθε δὲ τῶν πυλέων καὶ τῆς ἀνόδου, " τῆ δὴ οὔτε τις ἐφύλασσε, οὖτ' ἀν ἤλπισε μή κοτέ τις " κατὰ ταῦτα ἀναβαίη ἀνθρώπων, ταύτη ἀνέβησάν " τινες κατὰ τὸ ἱρὸν τῆς Κέκροπος θυγατρὸς 'Αγλαύρου," καίτοιπερ ἀποκρήμνου ἐόντος τοῦ χώρου." It is certainly possible, as Dr. Wordsworth suggests, that the Persians may have got up by this subterranean passage: but the words in Herodotus do not lead one to suppose that such was the fact. Pausanias (1. 18) copies the story told by Herodotus.

The military oath of the Ephebi was taken in the sanctuary of Agraulos: youthful soldiers swore to devote themselves to their country as she had done. Demosthenes refers to this oath—"τὸν ἐν τῷ τῆς ᾿Αγραύλου "τῶν ἐψήβων ὅρκον." De falsa Legat. 438. Vid. Shilleto's note, ad loc.

At no great distance from the north-eastern end of the Acropolis, stood the new Prytaneium—" πλησίον δὲ (viz. the Agrauleium) " Πρυτανεῖόν ἐστιν, ἐν ῷ νομοι τε " Σόλωνός εἰσι γεγραμμένοι καὶ Θεῶν Εἰρήνης ἀγάλματα " κεῖται καὶ 'Εστίας.' Pausan. 1. 18. From this building a street called 'the Tripods' ran in a curve to the southeastern corner of the great Dionysiac theatre, which was hewn out of the south-eastern face of the rock of the Acropolis. " ἔστι δὲ ὁδὸς ἀπὸ τοῦ Πρυτανείου καλου- " μένη Τρίποδες' ἀφ' οὖ δὲ καλοῦσι τὸ χωρίον, ναοὶ θεῶν " ἐς τοῦτο μεγάλοι,\* καὶ σφισιν ἐφεστήκασι τρίποδες

<sup>\*</sup> The particle of has probably been lost, before the word μεγάλοι.

" γαλκοί μέν, μνήμης δε άξια μάλιστα περιέχοντες είρ-"yaouéva." Pausan.1.20. "The line of similar fabrics, of "which the small circular building, of the most graceful "Corinthian proportions, called the Choragic monument " of Lysicrates," (vulgarly called also 'the lantern of Demosthenes') " is the only surviving relic, must have " possessed great interest, both from their object and "execution. They were a series of temples, forming a "street: these temples were surmounted by finials. which supported the tripods, gained by victorious " choragi in the neighbouring theatre of Bacchus, and "here dedicated by them to that deity, the patron of "dramatic representations. Hence the line formed by " these temples was called the Street of Tripods. From " the inscriptions engraved on the architraves of these "temples, which recorded the names of the victorious f parties, and the year in which the victory was gained, "the dramatic chronicles, or διδασκαλίαι, were mainly "compiled. Thus these small fabrics served the pur-" pose, at the same time, of fasti, trophies, and temples. "What a host of soul-stirring thoughts must have "started up in the mind of a sensitive Athenian, as " he walked along this street!" Wordsworth, p. 153. Plato speaks of this street - " μαρτυρήσουσί σοι, έὰν " μεν βούλη, Νικίας ὁ Νικηράτου καὶ οἱ ἀδελφοὶ μετ' " αὐτοῦ, του τρίποδες οἱ ἐφεξῆς ἐστῶτές εἰσιν ἐν τῶ " Deopvolo." Gorgias, 472, a. Plutarch in his life of Nicias corroborates this -" είστήκει δὲ καὶ τῶν ἀναθη-" μάτων αὐτοῦ (sc. Niciæ) καθ' ἡμᾶς τό τε Παλλάδιον " ἐν ἀκροπόλει, τὴν χρύσωσιν ἀποβεβληκώς καὶ ὁ τοῖς " χορηγικοῖς τρίποσιν ὑποκείμενος ἐν Διονύσου νεώς. " ἐνίκησε γὰρ πολλάκις χορηγήσας." ch. 3. The choragic monument of Lysicrates was engraved, in detail, by Stuart, vol. I. ch. 4.

At the south-eastern corner of the Acropolis, and close to the great Dionysiac theatre, stood the temple of Bacchus-" τοῦ Διονύσου δέ έστι πρὸς τῷ θεάτρω τὸ " ἀρχαιότατον ἱερόν." Pausanias, 1.20; who immediately adds-" ἔστι δὲ πλησίον τοῦ τε ἱεροῦ τοῦ Διονύσου καὶ " του θεάτρου κατασκεύασμα ποιηθήναι δε της σκευής " [al. σκηνής] αὐτὸ ἐς μίμησιν τής Εέρξου λέγεται." This was the Odeium of Pericles, which was built so as to represent the tent of Xerxes. Its roof was composed of the masts and yards of Persian ships. The building was destroyed by Aristion, who defended Athens against Sylla, that the besiegers might not make use of the timber in assaulting the Acropolis: it was restored by Ariobarzanes, king of Cappadocia. "Patris haberi fa-" num et exeuntibus e theatro sinistra parte Odeum quod "Pericles" (Themistocles; Tauchnitz; alii;) "columnis " lapideis, navium malis et antennis e spoliis Persicis " pertexit: idem autem incensum Mithridatico bello "rex Ariobarzanes restituit." Vitruv. v. q. (Leake, p. 28.) Plutarch, in his life of Pericles, (ch. 13) thus describes it-" τὸ δὲ 'Ωδείον τῆ μὲν ἐντὸς πολύεδρον καὶ πολύ-" στυλον, τη δ' ερέψει περικλινές καὶ κάταντες εκ μιας " κορυφής πεποιημένον, εἰκόνα λέγουσι γενέσθαι καὶ " μίμημα της βασιλέως σκηνης, έπιστατούντος καὶ τού-" τφ Περικλέους. διὸ καὶ πάλιν Κρατίνος ἐν Θράτταις " παίζει πρὸς αὐτόν.

- " ὁ σχινοκέφαλος Ζεὺς ὁδὶ προσέρχεται
- " Περικλέης τωδείον έπὶ τοῦ κρανίου
- " ἔχων, ἐπείδη τοὔστρακον παροίχεται."

The great Dionysiac theatre was at the south-eastern corner of the Acropolis: it was scooped out of the sloping face of the rock. Each row of seats formed nearly a semicircle, the diameter of which increased with the ascent. The two highest of these semicircular rows of seats are all that are now visible:\* future excavation may ascertain the exact dimensions of the theatre. Plato is supposed to state that it held 20,000 spectators: this number, however, seems impossible. The passage of Plato is in the Symposium. where Socrates says to Agathon, who had lately gained a dramatic victory—" ή γε (σοφία) παρά σοῦ νέου ὄντος " ούτω σφόδρα εξέλαμψε και εκφανής εγένετο πρώην " ἐν μάρτυσι τῶν Ἑλλήνων πλέον ἡ τρισμυρίοις. " Ύβριστης εί, ἔφη, ω Σώκρατες, ὁ ᾿Αγάθων." Sympos. 175. e.; and Stallbaum by his note shows that he considers this passage decisive on the point-" Hinc cog-"noscas (says he) theatri Atheniensis amplitudinem." But, in the first place, the bantering, ironical, tone of Socrates renders it unreasonable to put an exact interpretation on his words; and, in the next place, the term τρισμύριοι meant only a very large indefinite number. είς έμοι ἄνθρωπος τρισμύριοι.

Epigr. Incert. Anthol. IV. DXVI. p. 226.

Recent excavation may possibly have laid open more of the theatre: at all events it is to be hoped that the whole of the ground will be excavated. It is an object in which not merely Europe, but the whole civilized world, has an interest. The gradual increase of diameter in the ascent of the rows is clearly shown in an Athenian medal, engraved in the title page of Col. Leake's work.

Aristophanes, in the Equites, says—

έγὰ δὲ προσδοκῶν γε τρισμυριόπαλαι

βδελύττομαι σφώ.

1156.

The theatre is often described as ἐν Διονύσου, in the enclosure sacred to Bacchus. Pausanias says there was a cavern above the theatre—" ἐν δὲ τἢ κορυφῆ τοῦ " θεάτρου σπήλαιον έστιν έν ταις πέτραις ύπο την ά-" κρόπολιν. τρίπους δὲ ἔπεστι καὶ τούτω." 1. 21. This cavern was converted, by a successful choragus named Thrasyllus, into a temple: at the entrance of it he built a porch, with an inscription, which was copied by Stuart, and is engraved in his 2nd vol. ch. 4. whole was surmounted by a sitting statue of Bacchus (now in the British Museum,) in the lap of which there are holes, to receive a tripod. Two other inscriptions are also on this porch; both copied and engraved by Since the time that he visited Athens, this interesting monument has been destroyed. "A large fragment of the architrave of this temple of Thrasyl-" lus (savs Dr. Wordsworth,) with a part of the inscrip-"tion upon it, is now lying on the slope of the theatre; "it has been hewn into a drinking trough!" p. 90. Immediately above this cavern, there are two pillars still standing: they are insulated, and never made part of any building: their capitals are triangular, and have cavities sunk in the upper surface, at each of their angles. These of course were made to receive a tripod, gained by the victorious choragus who raised the pillar.

Between the Dionysiac theatre and Odeium of Regilla there is a long row of arches: the workmanship appears to be that of the age in which the Odeium of Regilla was built; but it is possible that Herodes, when he built this Odeium, repaired, rebuilt, or enlarged the  $\Sigma\tau o\acute{a}$  of Eumenes, which Vitruvius describes as lying to the west of the great theatre. "Post scenam portius sunt constituendæ, uti, cum imbres repentini ludos interpellaverint, habeat populus quo se recipiat ex theatro, choragiaque laxamentum habeant ad comparandum; uti sunt porticus Pompeianæ, itemque Athenis porticus Eumenia." lib. v. ch. 9.

At the south-western end of the Acropolis was the Odeium, built by Herodes, and called by him, after his deceased wife, the Odeium of Regilla. Pausanias does not mention this building in his description of Athens, because it was erected subsequently to his visit. In speaking of Patræ, he says—" ἔχεται δὲ τῆς " ἀγορῶς τὸ ψόδεῖον \* \* \* κεκόσμηται δὲ καὶ ἐς ἄλλα " τὸ ψόδεῖον ἀξιολογώτατα τῶν ἐν Ελλησι, πλήν γε δὴ " τοῦ 'Αθήνησι· τοῦτο γὰρ μεγέθει τε καὶ ἐς τὴν πῶσαν " ὑπερῆρκε παρασκευήν ἀνὴρ δὲ 'Αθηναῖος ἐποίησεν " Ἡρώδης ἐς μνήμην ἀποθανούσης γυναικός ἐμοὶ δὲ τῆς " ᾿Ατθίδι συγγραφῆ τὸ ἐς τοῦτο παρείθη τὸ ψόδεῖον, ὅτι " πρότερον ἔτι ἐξείργαστό μοι τὰ ἐς 'Αθηναίους, ἡ ὑπ-" ῆρκτο 'Ηρώδης τοῦ οἰκοδομήματος." VII. 20.

Pausanias, in describing his route from the Dionysiac theatre to the western end of the Acropolis, says thus—" ἰόντων δε Αθήνησιν ἐς τὴν ἀκρόπολιν ἀπὸ τοῦ θεάτρον " τέθαπται Κάλως. τοῦτον τὸν Κάλων ἀδελφῆς παίδα " ὅντα καὶ τῆς τέχνης μαθητὴν φονεύσας Δαίδαλος ἐς " Κρήτην ἔφυγε." 1.21. This story is given in detail

by Diodorus Siculus, IV. 76; and Apollodorus says of Dædalus—" οὖτος ἢν ἀρχιτέκτων ἄριστος καὶ πρῶτος " ἀγαλμάτων εὑρετής. οὖτος ἐξ ᾿Αθηνῶν ἔφυγεν,ἀπὸ τῆς " ἀκροπόλεως βαλὼν τὸν τῆς ἀδελφῆς Πέρδικος υἱὸν " Τάλω, μαθητὴν ὄντα, δείσας μὴ διὰ τὴν εὐφυταν " αὐτὸν ὑπερβάλη." III. xv. Pausanias is singular in calling this person Κάλως, instead of Τάλως.

The tomb must have been between the great theatre and the temple of Æsculapius, which is the next object noticed by Pausanias—" τοῦ Αἰσκληπιοῦ τὸ ἱερὸν ἔς τε " τὰ ἀγάλματά ἐστιν, ὁπόσα τοῦ θεοῦ πεποίηται καὶ " τῶν παίδων καὶ ἐς τὰς γραφὰς θέας ἄξιον. ἔστι δὲ ἐν " αὐτῷ κρήνη." 1. 21.

All the springs which rise in the hill of the Acropolis are impregnated with saline matter; and such springs were commonly dedicated to Æsculapius. A spring now rises at a spot, which, when Stuart visited Athens, was occupied by a mosque. This mosque had been formed out of the ruins of a church. Heathen temples were generally converted into churches; and there seems every reason to believe that this church was originally the temple of Æsculapius. It occupied a place between the north of the Odeium of Regilla and the south-western corner of the Propylæa.

Pausanias continues his route to the Acropolis in the following words—" μετὰ δὲ τὸ ἱερὸν τοῦ Αἰσκληπιοῦ " ταύτη πρὸς τὴν ἀκρόπολιν ἰοῦσιν, Θέμιδος ναός ἐστι· " κέχωσται δὲ πρὸ αὐτοῦ μνῆμα 'lππολύτφ. \* \* \* " ᾿Αφροδίτην τε τὴν Πάνδημον, ἐπεί τε ᾿Αθηναίους Θη- σεὺς ἐς μίαν ἤγαγεν ἀπὸ τῶν δήμων πόλιν, αὐτήν τε

" σέβεσθαι καὶ Πειθώ κατέστησε. \* \* \* ἔστι δὲ καὶ "Γῆς κουροτρόφου καὶ Δήμητρος ἱερὸν Χλόης. \* \* \* "τῶν δὲ Προπυλαίων ἐν δεξιᾳ Νίκης ἐστὶν ἀπτέρου " ναός. ἐντεῦθεν ἡ θάλασσά ἐστι σύνοπτος. καὶ ταύτη " ῥίψας Αἰγεὺς ἑαυτόν, ὡς λέγουσιν, ἐτελεύτησεν." 1. 22. The position of the temple of 'Ceres Chloe,' or, 'Terra ' nutrix,' may be fixed with tolerable precision. A scholiast on v. 1600 of the Œdipus Coloneus,

τώ δ' εὐχλόου Δήμητρος εἰς ἐπόψιον πάγον μολούσα,

says—" εὐχλόου Δήμητρος ἱερόν ἐστι πρὸς τἢ ἀκροπό" λει. καὶ Εὔπολις Μαρικậ:

άλλ' εὐθὺ πόλεως εἶμι' θῦσαι γάρ με δεῖ κρίον Χλόη Δήμητρι."

In the 'Lysistrata' of Aristophanes, the women, when besieged in the Acropolis, see a man approaching—

ΛΥΣΙΣ. ἄνδρ', ἄνδρ' όρῶ προσιόντα παραπεπληγμένου

\* \* \*

ΓΥΝΗ. ποῦ δ' ἐστίν, ὅστις ἐστί;

ΛΥΣΙΣ. παρὰ τὸ τῆς Χλόης. 831

The temple must have stood close to the Propylæa, at its southern side. The temple of Themis, with the tomb of Hippolytus in front of it, probably stood close to that of Venus  $\Pi \acute{a}\nu \delta \eta \mu os$ . Pausanias says, that Theseus raised this latter temple, to commemorate the confederation of Attica, which he accomplished.

There is an important passage in the Hippolytus of

Euripides, who says that Phædra built this temple—
καὶ πρὶν μὲν ἐλθεῖν τήνδε γῆν Τροιζηνίαν,
πέτραν παρ' αὐτὴν Παλλάδος κατόψιον
γῆς τῆσδε, ναὸν Κύπριδος καθείσατο.\*
29.

Diodorus Siculus confirms this—" μικρον δ' ὕστερον " Ίππολύτου ἐπανελθόντος εἰς τὰς 'Αθήνας πρὸς τὰ " μυστήρια, Φαίδρα διὰ τὸ κάλλος ἐρασθεῖσα αὐτοῦ, " τότε μὲν ἀπελθόντος ἰδρύσατο ἰερὸν 'Αφροδίτης παρὰ " τὴν ἀκρόπολιν, ὅθεν ἦν καθορᾶν τὴν Τροιζῆνα." IV. 62. This temple probably stood near the boundary line between the Agora and the Acropolis; for Harpocration says—" 'Απολλόδωρος ἐν τῷ περὶ Θεῶν Πάνδη-" μον φησὶν 'Αθήνησι κληθῆναι τὴν ἀφιδρυθεῖσαν περὶ " τὴν ἀρχαίαν ἀγοράν." in voc. ' Πάνδημος ' Αφροδίτη.'

The temple of 'Wingless Victory stood to the west of the southern wing of the Propylæa. This temple has lately been recovered, and exposed to view by excavation. "The great discovery of the day" (says Mr. Bracebridge, in a letter from Athens to Dr. Wordsworth) "is the long-"lost temple of the Wingless Victory. \* It is of the "Ionic order, the columns about 15 feet high and

<sup>\*</sup> Two lines follow here, which have given some trouble—

έρῶσ' ἔρωτ' ἔκδημον' Ἱππολύτφ δ' ἔπι

τὸ λοιπὸν ὧνόμαζεν ἰδρῦσθαι θεάν.

Dr. Monk rejects these verses as spurious; and certainly it is very difficult to make out the construction or sense of them. Dr. Wordsworth enters, however, into a very elaborate explanation of them, p. 103—5. Bothe also explains them, but gives them a different sense, not. ad l. I confess these explanations do not seem to me satisfactory or tenable.—Dr. Wordsworth translates 'Ιππολύτο έπι, to gain Hippolytis: Bothe, in honorem Hippolytis. The scholiast on the passage says—ἐν γὰρ τῆ ἀκροπόλει ἰδρύσατο 'Αφροδίτης ἰερὸν ἐπὶ κακῷ 'Ἰππολύτου — a strange diversity of interpretation!

"fluted: 4 columns stand on the front, and 4 on the " back: the sides of the cella being in line with the " external columns. The whole is of Pentelic marble, "and highly finished: the position is exactly that " specified by Pausanias, on the south-western angle of "the Acropolis, on the right as you ascend to the " Propylea, turning the south-western wing of which "this exquisite little temple fronts. Parts of all the . "columns of the Victory have been found, several " entire with their capitals, and these with the walls of "the cella, and most of the entablatures have been "replaced," Wordsworth, p. 278.\* Pausanias, speaking of the Lacedæmonians, says-" τοῦ ναοῦ δὲ (sc. " Hipposthenis) ἀπαντικρὺ πέδας ἐστὶν ἔχων Ἐνυάλιος, " ἄγαλμα ἀρχαίον. γνώμη δὲ τῆ αὐτῆ Λακεδαιμονίων " τε ές τοῦτό ἐστιν ἄγαλμα, καὶ Αθηναίων ἐς τὴν ἄπτερ-" ου καλουμένην Νίκην, των μέν οὔποτε τὸν Ἐνυάλιον " φεύγοντα ολχήσεσθαί σφισιν ένεχόμενον ταίς πέδαις. " `Αθηναίων δε την Νίκην αὐτόθι ἀεὶ μένειν οὐκ ὄντων " πτερῶν." ΙΙΙ. 15.

This deity was called Νίκη `Αθηνᾶ. Harpocration, in voc. says—" Λυκοῦργος ἐν τῷ περὶ τῆς Ἱερείας, ὅτι " Νίκης `Αθηνᾶς ξόανον ἄπτερον, ἔχον ἐν μὲν τῆ δεξιᾶ

<sup>\* &</sup>quot;The history of the temple of Unwinged Victory' is very curious.

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πέτραν παρ' αὐτὴν Παλλάδος κατόψιον
γῆς τῆσδε, ναὸν Κύπριδος καθείσατο.\*
29.

Diodorus Siculus confirms this—" μικρὸν δ' ὕστερον " Ἱππολύτου ἐπανελθόντος εἰς τὰς 'Αθήνας πρὸς τὰ " μυστήρια, Φαίδρα διὰ τὸ κάλλος ἐρασθεῖσα αὐτοῦ, " τότε μὲν ἀπελθόντος ἰδρύσατο ἰερὸν 'Αφροδίτης παρὰ " τὴν ἀκρόπολιν, ὅθεν ἢν καθορᾶν τὴν Τροιζῆνα." IV. 62. This temple probably stood near the boundary line between the Agora and the Acropolis; for Harpocration says—" ᾿Απολλόδωρος ἐν τῷ περὶ Θεῶν Πάνδη-" μον φησὶν ᾿Αθήνησι κληθῆναι τὴν ἀφιδρυθεῖσαν περὶ " τὴν ἀρχαίαν ἀγοράν." in voc. ' Πάνδημος ᾿Αφροδίτη.'

The temple of 'Wingless Victory stood to the west of the southern wing of the Propylea. This temple has lately been recovered, and exposed to view by excavation. "The great discovery of the day" (says Mr. Bracebridge, in a letter from Athens to Dr. Wordsworth, "is the long-"lost temple of the Wingless Victory. \* It is of the "Ionic order, the columns about 15 feet high and

<sup>\*</sup> Two lines follow here, which have given some trouble—
ἐρῶσ' ἔρωτ' ἔκδημον' Ἱππολύτφ δ' ἔπι
τὸ λοιπὸν ὧνόμαζεν ἰδρῦσθαι θεάν.

Dr. Monk rejects these verses as spurious; and certainly it is very difficult to make out the construction or sense of them. Dr. Wordsworth enters, however, into a very elaborate explanation of them, p. 103—5. Bothe also explains them, but gives them a different sense, not. ad l. I confess these explanations do not seem to me satisfactory or tenable.—Dr. Wordsworth translates '[ππολύτφ ἔπι, to gain Hippolytis: Bothe, in honorem Hippolyti. The scholiast on the passage says—ἐν γὰρ τῆ ἀκροπόλει ἰδρύσατο ᾿Αφροδίτης ἰερὸν ἐπὶ κακῷ Ἱππολύτον—a strange diversity of interpretation!

"fluted: 4 columns stand on the front, and 4 on the "back: the sides of the cella being in line with the " external columns. The whole is of Pentelic marble. "and highly finished: the position is exactly that " specified by Pausanias, on the south-western angle of "the Acropolis, on the right as you ascend to the " Propylea, turning the south-western wing of which "this exquisite little temple fronts. Parts of all the . "columns of the Victory have been found, several " entire with their capitals, and these with the walls of "the cella, and most of the entablatures have been "replaced." Wordsworth, p. 278.\* Pausanias, speaking of the Lacedæmonians, says—" τοῦ ναοῦ δὲ (sc. " Hipposthenis) ἀπαντικρὺ πέδας ἐστὶν ἔχων Ἐνυάλιος, " άγαλμα άρχαῖον. γνώμη δὲ τῆ αὐτῆ Λακεδαιμονίων " τε ές τοῦτό έστιν ἄγαλμα, και Αθηναίων ές τὴν ἄπτερ-" ον καλουμένην Νίκην, των μέν οὔποτε τὸν Ἐνυάλιον " φεύγοντα ολγήσεσθαί σφισιν ένεχόμενον ταις πέδαις, " 'Αθηναίων δὲ τὴν Νίκην αὐτόθι ἀεὶ μένειν οὐκ ὄντων " πτερών." III. 15.

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" ροιάν, ἐν δὲ τἢ εὐωνύμω κράνος, ἐτιμᾶτο. ὅτι δὲ ἐτι" μᾶτο παρ' ᾿Αθηναίοις, δεδήλωκεν Ἡλιόδωρος ἐν τἢ
" πρώτη περὶ ἀκροπόλεως." Euripides thus mentions the title—

σè—ἐμὰν 'Αθάναν ἰκετεύω, \* \* \*

ω πότνα Νίκα.

Ion. 452.

μὰ τὴν παρασπίζουσαν ἄρμασίν ποτε Νίκην 'Αθάναν Ζηνὶ γηγενεῖς ἔπι. Ibid. 1528.

And Sophocles in the 'Philoctetes'—

Έρμῆς δ' ὁ πέμπων δόλιος ἡγήσαιτο νῷν Νίκα τ' Ἀθάνα Πολιάς, ἡ σώζει μ' ἀεί. 133.

On which passage the scholiast says—"οὕτως ἡ πολιοῦ"χος ᾿Αθηνᾶ Νίκη καλεῖται ἐν τῷ ᾿Αττικῷ." Eustathius,
ad Hom. Il. xxi. says—"ὁ Ζεὺς ἄμα γεννήσας αὐτὴν
"(sc. Minervam) νίκην ἐποίησε κατὰ Τιτάνων διὸ καὶ
" ᾿Αθηνᾶ Νίκη ἐπωνομάσθη. In the 'Lysistrata' of
Aristophanes, the troop of old men, who besiege the
women in the Acropolis, must have advanced, of course,
past this temple: they therefore very naturally invoke
Victory, on their march—

δέσποινα Νίκη ξυγγενοῦ, τῶν τ' ἐν πόλει γυναικῶν τοῦ νῦν παρεστῶτος θράσους θέσθαι τροπαῖον ἡμᾶς.

317.

We have now finished the circuit of the Acropolis.

## THE PNYX AND AGORA.

The Agora of Athens occupied the valley which lies on the west of the Acropolis: on the north it was bounded by the Areiopagus; and on the southwest by the Pnyx. In later times the Agora was called the Inner Cerameicus.

The old city of Athens occupied the Acropolis, and the district to the south of it. Thucydides, speaking of its condition before the great revolution produced by Theseus, says—" τὸ δὲ πρὸ τούτου ἡ ἀκρόπολις ἡ " νῦν οὖσα πόλις ἦν, καὶ τὸ ὑπ' αὐτὴν πρὸς νότον τε-" τραμμένον." 11. 15. He specifies the oldest temples of the city as being on the south; viz. those of Jupiter Olympius, Bacchus ev Aluvais, the Earth, and the Pythium; and adds—" ίδρυται δὲ καὶ ἄλλα ἱερὰ ταύτη " ἀργαῖα." ibid. καλεῖται δὲ διὰ τὴν παλαιὰν ταύτη " κατοίκησιν καλ ή ἀκρόπολις μέχρι τοῦδε ἔτι ὑπ' 'Αθη-" ναίων πόλις." ibid. This southern district was bounded on the west by the hill Museium, and on the north-west by the contiguous hill, the Pnyx. Out of the northeastern face of this latter hill was formed the famous place for the public assemblies of the Athenian people.

Dr. Wordsworththus describes it :- "The Pnyx was part " of the surface of a low rocky hill, at the distance of a "quarter of a mile to the west of the central rock of the "Acropolis, and at about half that distance to the south-"west of the centre of the Areopagus hill. The Pnvx " may be best described as the area formed by the seg-" ment of a circle, which, as it is very nearly equal to a "semicircle, for the sake of conciseness we shall assume " to be such. The radius of this semicircle varies from "about sixty to eighty yards. It is on a sloping "ground, which shelves down very gently toward the " hollow of the ancient Agora, which was at its foot, " on the north-east. The chord of this semicircle is "the highest part of this slope; the middle of its arc "is the lowest: and this last point of the curve is " cased by a terras wall of huge polygonal blocks, and " of about 15 feet in depth at the centre: this terras " wall prevents the soil of the slope from lapsing down " into the valley of the Agora beneath it. From its "being thus consolidated, and as it were condensed " (πυκνουμένη) by the upward pressure of these massive "stones, the Pnyx derived its name.\* This massive " wall is probably coeval with the birth of oratory at "Athens. The chord of this semicircle is formed by a " line of rock vertically hewn, so as to present to the " spectator, standing in the area, the face of a flat wall. "In the middle point of this wall of rock, and projecting

<sup>\*</sup> Forchhammer (p. 14) derives the word  $\pi\nu\delta\xi$  from the dense habitations, with which the hill was anciently crowded. May not the erowded assemblies of people which met there, have given name to the place? Vid. Schömann on the Athenian Assemblies, ch. 3.

" from and applied to it, is a solid rectangular block, "hewn from the same rock. This is the 'Bema,' or "Rostra, from which the speakers in the assembly of " the Pnyx addressed the audience, who occupied the " semicircular area before them. The Bema looks " towards the north-east; that is, towards the ancient Agora. Steps are hewn on either side of this rostrum, "by which the speaker mounted it: and at its base, on "the 3 sides of it, is a tier of 3 seats cut from the same "rock. This was the place provided for the public " assemblies at Athens in its most glorious times, and " nearly such as it was then, it is seen now. "Athenian orator spoke from a block of bare stone; " his audience sat before him on a blank and open "field." p. 64-5. The ground on which the audience assembled was an area of more than 12,000 yards. The whole free civic population of Athens could assemble there with ease. Plutarch, in his Life of Themistocles, says that the 30 tyrants altered the position of the Bema-" διὸ καὶ τὸ βημα τὸ ἐν Πνυκὶ πεποιημένου, " ώστ' ἀποβλέπειν πρὸς τήν θάλατταν, ὕστερον οἱ τριά-" κοντα πρὸς τὴν χώραν ἀπέστρεψαν, οἰόμενοι τὴν μὲν " κατά θάλατταν άρχην γένεσιν είναι δημοκρατίας, όλι-" γαργία δε ήττον δυσγεραίνειν τούς γεωργούντας." ch. 19. The aspect of the Bema never was, and never could have been, altered; but, according to this statement, its position must have been lowered: and Dr. Wordsworth says (p. 73) that "there are very distinct " remains of another solid rectangular rock, in short, of "another Bema, which has evidently been mutilated, by

"design." But Forchhammer (p. 17) has the following judicious, though severe, remarks on the story told by Plutarch. "This anecdote," says he, "if literally under-"stood, is exceedingly absurd. Having mentioned that "Themistocles, by directing the minds of the Athenians "to the dominion of the sea, had encouraged democracy, "Plutarch continues" (Forchhammer then quotes the passage given in the text:) "This would indeed have " been the strangest means ever applied to such a pur-" pose, and a means, moreover, that required enormous "labour. One must see the high, long, smoothly-"worked wall of the rock, with the bema naturally " projecting from it; and, then, the large blocks of "rock, out of which the lower structure of the wide "semicircle has been fitted for the listening people; "and then ask oneself,-Is it likely that such an " enormous work has been carried out at such a time. "and for no other purpose, but to hinder the orator "from imbibing democratic notions, by turning his face "to the sea? And is it likely that this should have " been done by the Thirty, who never summoned an " assembly of the People, and knew how to change the "opinions of him who even in secret had expressed " democratical sentiments, not by enormous buildings, "but by a draught of poison? Surely our friend "Plutarch must have taken a joke in earnest, and, after "him, most of the moderns. But suppose the spot for " holding the popular assembly had been higher up in " the time of Themistocles, (for, from that now existing, " nobody yet has discovered the sea;) yet, if the town"wall had been so close to it, as the remains still existing "would show,\* the sea could not possibly have been perceived from the popular assembly." These objections seem unanswerable; and it is somewhat remarkable that Plutarch's story should have met with such general and inconsiderate belief.

It is natural to expect that the principal public buildings connected with the legislature and jurisprudence of the country, should be in the neighbourhood of the great place of popular assembly; and such was the fact. The Μητρώου, or Record Office, where the laws were kept: the Bouleutholov, where the council of 500 met; the Θόλος, where the Prytanes sacrificed and dined; the statues of the ἐπώνυμοι, to which it was required that all notices of resolutions to be proposed in the ἐκκλησία should be affixed;—all these were in the immediate vicinity of the Pnyx. Pausanias, in describing the buildings and works of art in the Agora (which he calls the Cerameicus,) says—" ωκοδόμηται δέ " καλ μητρός θεών ιερόν, ην Φειδίας ειργάσατο, καλ " πλησίον των πεντακοσίων βουλευτήριον, οὶ βουλεύ-" ουσιν ένιαυτον 'Αθηναίοις." τ. 3. " τοῦ βουλευτηρίου " πλησίου θόλος έστι καλουμένη, και θύουσι τε ένταῦθα " οἱ Πρυτάνεις, καί τινα καὶ ἀργύρου πεποιημένα ἐστὶν " ἀγάλματα οὐ μεγάλα. ἀνωτέρω δὲ ἀνδριάντες έστή-" κασιν ήρώων, ἀφ' ων 'Αθηναίοις ὕστερον τὰ ὀνόματα " ἔσγον αί φυλαί." 1. 5.

Athenæus says—" Εἰς τὸ Μητρφον, ὅπου τῶν δικῶν " ἦσαν αἰ γραφαί." ιχ. 407. And, again, he mentions

<sup>\*</sup> Forchhammer is here arguing with those who believe that these are the remains of the oldest wall; but vid. pp. 14, 15.

one Apellicon, whose love of antiquities was occasionally indulged at the expense of his honesty; for we read of him,—" ἐκ τοῦ Μητρώου τῶν παλαιῶν αὐτόγραφα ψη- "φίσματα ὑφαιρούμενος ἐκτᾶτο, καὶ ἐκ τῶν ἄλλων "πόλεων εἴ τι παλαιὸν εἴη καὶ ἀπόθετον." ν. 214. Suidas quotes Lycurgus to the same purpose—" Λυ- "κοῦργος ἐν τῷ κατὰ 'Αριστογείτονος' τοὺς νόμους " ἔθεντο ἀναγράψαντες\* ἐν τῷ Μητρώφ." in νος. 'Μητρῷον.' Demosthenes corroborates this,—" ὑπὲρ τῆς " ἐξωμοσίας ἐν τοῖς κοινοῖς τοῖς ὑμετέροις γράμμασιν " ἐν τῷ Μητρώφ ταῦτ' ἐστίν." De falsa Legat. 381.

Æschines confirms the statement of Pausanias, that the Βουλευτήριον was near the Μητρφον. " ἐν τοίνυν " τῷ Μητρφο παρὰ τὸ βουλευτήριον." In Ctesiph. p. 576. Reiske.

Pausanias says that the following works of art were in the senate-house. "Βουλαίου δὲ ἐν αὐτῷ κεῖται ξόανον "Διὸς, καὶ ᾿Απόλλων, τέχνη Πεισίου, καὶ Δῆμος, ἔργον "Λύσωνος. τοὺς δὲ θεσμοθέτας ἔγραψε Πρωτογένης "ὁ Καύνιος." 1. 3. Demosthenes repeatedly refers to the senate-house. "ἐὰν μὲν ἡ βουλὴ στεφανοῖ, ἐν τῷ "Βουλευτηρίῳ ἀνειπεῖν, ἐὰν δὲ ἡ πόλις, ἐν Πνυκὶ ἐν τῷ "ἐκκλησίᾳ." De Cor. 244. "οἱ μὲν πρυτάνεις τὴν "βουλὴν ἐκάλουν εἰς τὸ Βουλευτήριον, ὑμεῖς δ' εἰς τὴν "ἐκκλησίαν ἐπορεύεσθε." Ibid. 284.

We have seen that the Tholus was close to the Senatehouse. Suidas says—" θόλος οἶκος περιφερής, ἐν ῷ οἰ " Πρυτάνεις εἰστιῷντο." in voc. " θόλος κυρίως μὲν

<sup>\*</sup> The MSS. have ἀναγράψαι, which is altered by Kuster to ἀναγράψαντες, οr, μετὰ τὸ ἀναγράψαι.

" καμάρα καταχρηστικώς δὲ οἶκος εἰς ὀξὺ ἀπολήγουσαν " ἔχων τὴν στέγην κατασκευασμένος. ἡ ὅπου οἱ Πρυ- " τάνεις καὶ ἡ Βουλὴ συνεστιῶντο θηλυκῶς δὲ ἔλεγον " τὴν θόλον." Hesych. in voc. " ἐπειδὴ δὲ ὀλιγαρχία " ἐγένετο, οἱ τριάκοντα αὖ μεταπεμψάμενοί με πέμπτον " αὐτὸν εἰς τὴν θόλον." Plat. Apol. Socr. 32. c. Both Hesychius and Suidas give Σκιάς as another name for this building. "σκιάς τὸ Πρυτανεῖον." Hesych. "σκιάς " ἀναδενδράς σημαίνει δὲ καὶ τὸν παρὰ 'Αθηναίοις λε- "γόμενον θόλον." Suid. The Prytanes dined there daily. "ἡ θόλος ἐν ἡ συνεδείπνουν ἐκάστης ἡμέρας " πεντήκοντα τῆς τῶν πεντακοσίων βουλῆς, ἡ πρυτα- "νεύουσα φυλή." Pollux, 1x. 153.

Near the Tholus, and to the eastward of it, stood the bronze statues of the ten deified men, who gave their names to the 10 φυλαί of Athens. Suidas gives this account of them—" ἐπώνυμοι οι κατ' ἀρετὴν διαπρέπ-" οντες άστοι και ξένοι γαλκαις εικόσιν ετιμώντο υφ " ων ενίων και ταις φυλαις ετέθη ονόματα. Φασι δ' " ἐκείθεν πρώτον δόξαι τὰς φυλάς ἐξηγήσασθαι. ἀπο-" ρούντων γὰρ αὐτῶν ὄνομα ταῖς φυλαῖς θέσθαι, ἀπὸ " τῶν ἐνδοξοτάτων τοῦτο ποιῆσαι, καὶ ἔκαστον ἐκατὸν " ονόματα ίδια γραψάμενον κληρώσαι. παρά γρουν τάς " εἰκόνας τῶν Ἐπωνύμων τούτων εἰσηγοῦντο τοὺς νό-" μους, πρίν ή γενέσθαι κυρίους "ίν εντυγχάνοντες αὐ-" τοις οι βουλόμενοι κατηγοροίεν. So Demosthenes -" ἔστιν, οδ ἄνδρες Αθηναίοι, ἐν τοίς οὖσι νόμοις ὑμίν " κυρίοις διωρισμένα ἀκριβώς καὶ σαφώς πάνθ' ὅσα δεῖ " ποιείν περί των μελλόντων τεθήσεσθαι νόμων. \* \* \* " προστάττει πρώτον μεν εκθείναι πρόσθεν των έπω" νύμων γράψαντα, σκοπείν τῷ βουλομένφ." con. Timocr. 705.

The ten Eponymous heroes represented the confederated Attic nation; for every  $\delta\hat{\eta}\mu$ 05 was incorporated into some one  $\phi\nu\lambda\hat{\eta}$ ; and thus, the posting up of every new bill  $(\pi\rho o\beta o\nu\lambda\epsilon\nu\mu a)$  which was to be proposed to the  $\epsilon\kappa\lambda\eta\sigma ia$ , on the statues of the  $\epsilon\kappa\lambda\eta\sigma ia$ , was a public and fitting mode of proclamation to the whole Attic people.

Such were the buildings and statues immediately adjacent and connected by intimate political relations with the Pnyx.

The altar of the twelve gods stood in the Agora, probably near its centre. Thucydides thus speaks of it --" Πεισίστρατος ὁ 'Ιππίου τοῦ τυραννεύσαντος υίὸς, "τοῦ πάππου ἔχων τοὕνομα, ὃς τῶν δώδεκα θεῶν βωμὸν " τὸν ἐν τῷ ἀγορῷ ἄρχων ἀνέθηκε, καὶ τὸν τοῦ 'Απόλλω- " νος ἐν Πυθίου. καὶ τῷ μὲν ἐν τῷ ἀγορῷ προσοι- " κοδομήσας ὕστερον ὁ δῆμος 'Αθηναίων μεῖζον μῆκος, " τοῦ βωμοῦ ἡφάνισε τοὖπίγραμμα τοῦ δὲ ἐν Πυθίου " ἔτι καὶ νῦν δῆλόν ἐστιν, ἀμυδροῖς γράμμασι, λέγον τάδε.

" μνημα τόδ' ής ἀρχης Πεισίστρατος Ίππίου υίδς " θηκεν `Απόλλωνος Πυθίου ἐν τεμένει." VI. 54.

Herodotus mentions it—" 'Αθηναίων ἱρὰ ποιεύντων " τοῖσι δώδεκα θεοῖσι ἰκέται ἰζόμενοι ἐπὶ τὸν βωμὸν ἐδί-" δοσαν σφέας αὐτούς," (sc. Platæenses.) vi. 108. This altar was the 'milliarium aureum' of Athens: from it all the roads in Attica were measured. Herodotus (11. 7) says—" ἔστι δὲ δδὸς ἐς τὴν 'Ηλίου πόλιν ἀπὸ " θαλάσσης ἄνω ἰόντι παραπλησίη τὸ μῆκος τῆ ἐξ 
"'Αθηνέων ὁδῷ, τῆ ἀπὸ τῶν δυώδεκα θεῶν τοῦ βωμοῦ 
" φερούση ἔς τε Πίσαν καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν νηὸν τοῦ Διὸς τοῦ 
"''Ολυμπίου.''\* Aristophanes was really thinking of 
Athens, when he made Meton thus speak of dividing 
the realms of air—

ορθώ μετρήσω κανόνι προστιθείς ἵνα ο κύκλος γένηται τετράγωνος, κάν μέσω άγορά, φέρουσαι δ' ὧσιν είς αὐτὴν όδοὶ όρθαὶ πρὸς αὐτὸ τὸ μέσον, ὥσπερ δ' ἀστέρος, αὐτοῦ κυκλοτεροῦς ὄντος, ὀρθαὶ πανταχῆ ἀκτίνες ἀπολάμπωσιν. Ανες, 1004.

To the eastward of the statues of the Eponymi, amongst other statues, was that of Demosthenes. The temple of Mars stood on the southern side of his own hill; and, beyond the statue of Demosthenes, were the statues of Harmodius and Aristogeiton, which stood at the eastern limit of the Agora, at the foot of the slope of the Acropolis. "μετὰ δὲ τὰς εἰκόνας τῶν ἐπωνύμων "ἐστὶν ἀγάλματα θεῶν \* \* \* ἔστι δὲ καὶ Δημοσθένης "\* \* \* τῆς δὲ τοῦ Δημοσθένους εἰκόνος πλησίον ""Αρεώς ἐστιν ἱερόν \* \* \* οὐ πόρὸω δὲ ἑστᾶσιν 'Αρ-"μόδιος καὶ 'Αριστογείτων οἱ κτείναντες "Ιππαρχον."

This inscription was found on a marble, which the Turks had driven into the fortifications of the Acropolis. It must have stood on the road to the Peirseus.

<sup>\*</sup> Baëhr's note on this passage, and Böckh's commentary on the 12th inscription in his 'Corpus Inscriptionum,' should by all means be consulted. There is also a mutilated inscription, No. 825, which is thus restored.

ή πόλις έστησέν με βροτοῖς μνημεῖον ἄληθες, πάσιν σημαίνειν μέτρον όδοιπορίας: έστιν γὰρ τό μεταξύ θεῶν πρός δώδεκα βωμὸν ἐξ καὶ τεσσαράκοντ' ἐκ λιμένος στάδιοι.

Pausan. 1. 8. These two last statues were made of bronze. Xerxes carried them away, but Alexander restored them, or, at least, ordered their restoration.

Arrian says—"πολλὰ μὲν καὶ ἄλλα κατελήφθη αὖ"τοῦ, ὅσα Ξέρξης ἀπὸ τῆς Ἑλλάδος ἄγων ἦλθε τά τε
"ἄλλα καὶ 'Αρμοδίου καὶ 'Αριστογείτονος χαλκαῖ εἰ"κόνες καὶ ταύτας 'Αθηναίοις πέμπει ὀπίσω 'Αλέξ"ανδρος, καὶ νῦν κεῖνται 'Αθήνησιν ἐν Κεραμεικῷ αἱ
"εἰκόνες, ἢ ἀνίμεν ἐς πόλιν καταντικρὰ τοῦ Μητρώου."
De Exped. Alex. 111. 16. Pliny tells the same story.
He says that Praxiteles was the sculptor who executed these statues—"Praxiteles \* \* fecit \* \* Harmodium
"et Aristogitonem tyrannicidas, quos a Xerxe Persarum
"rege captos victa Perside Atheniensibus remisit Magnus
"Alexander." Plin. N. H. XXXIV. VIII. 10.\* Valerius
Maximus (II. x. 1. Extern.) says that Seleucus restored them; and Pausanias gives the credit of the restoration to Antiochus.

At the southern end of the Agora stood the Φερρεφάττιον, or temple of Proserpine. At the northern end stood the Λεωκόριον; and this northern end led to the quarter

<sup>\*</sup> Pliny is here guilty of a gross anachronism, for Praxiteles lived in the time of Alexander the Great. Possibly Praxiteles executed a fresh pair of statues. With regard to Harmodius and Aristogeiton, they have fared luckily: they seem to have known "where a commodity of good names was to be bought." Men degraded by infamous immorality,—mere vulgar assasains, who disguised a foul spirit of revenge under the mask of patriotism,—they were nevertheless reverenced by their countrymen as heroes. But, however the mob of Athenians may have been led, by the love of their democratical form of government, to pay extraordinary honour to men, whom they erroneously believed to have been the champions of national freedom; no excuse can justify us in regarding such characters with any other feelings than those of disgust and abhorrence. Surely, no virtuous Athenian could have beheld the statues of these men, without a blush of shame!

of the city called Melity. A passage in Demosthenes illustrates these several positions—" περιπατοῦντος, ώσ-" περ εἰώθειν, έσπέρας ἐν ἀγορᾶ \* \* \* παρέρχεται Κτη-" σίας μεθύων κατά τὸ Λεωκόριον κατιδών δὲ ήμᾶς καὶ " κραυγάσας και διαλεχθείς τι πρός αυτον ουτως, ώς " αν μεθύων, ωστε μη μαθείν ο τι λέγοι, παρηλθε πρός " Μελίτην ἄνω ἔπινον γὰρ ἐνταῦθα (ταῦτα γὰρ ὕστερον " ἐπυθόμεθα) Κόνων ούτοσὶ, Θεότιμός τις, Σπίνθαρος " δ Εύβούλου, Θεογένης δ 'Ανδρομένους, πολλοί τινες" " οθε εξαναστήσαε ο Κτησίας επορεύετο κατ αγοράν. " καλ ήμιν συμβαίνει αναστρέφουσιν από του Φερρεφατ-" τίου καλ περιπατοῦσι πάλιν κατ' αὐτό πως τὸ Λεωκό-" ριον είναι καὶ τούτοις περιτυγχάνομεν." contra Conon. 1258-q. And Hesychius calls the Φερδεφάττιον, " τόπος εν ἀγορά."\* The plaintiff therefore took a stroll in the evening up and down the Agora; much as Horace amused himself in the forum at Rome.

- 'Fallacem Circum vespertinumque pererro
- 'Seepe forum.' Sat. I. vi. 113.

Hesychius gives the following explanation of the word Λεωκόριον. " τῶν Λεῶ θυγατέρων μνημεῖον, τὸ " καλούμενον Λεωκόριον, ἐν μέσω τῷ Κεραμεικῷ." And Photius says—" Λεωκόριον ἱερὸν ᾿Αθήνησι, τοῦ δὲ Λεὼ " θυγατέρες ἐγένοντο τρεῖς Φασιθέα, Θεόπη, Εὐβούλη τὰ παρθένοι ὑπὲρ τῆς πόλεως ἐσφαγιάσθησαν κατὰ " χρόνον, ἐκόντος τοῦ πατρὸς ἐπιδόντος. 'Ο δὲ Λεὼς

<sup>\*</sup> Porchhammer must have overlooked this passage in Hesychius; for he places the Φερρεφάττων on the south bank of the Ilissus: but this he did, to carry out his idea of the extent of the Cerameicus, to which he has given a most exaggerated length.

" υίὸς ἢν 'Ορφέως, ἢ [ fors. οῦ] ἐπώνυμος καὶ ἡ Λεοντὶς φυλή." The scholiast on the word Λεωκόριον in Thucydides (1.20) says—" ελίμωξε ποτε ή 'Αττική, καὶ λύσις ήν " των δεινών παίδων σφαγή. Λεώς οὖν τις τὰς έαυτοῦ " κόρας ἐπιδέδωκε καὶ ἀπήλλαξε τοῦ λιμοῦ τὴν πόλιν. " καὶ τούτων ἱερὸν ἐγένετο ἐν τῆ Αττικῆ, τὸ καλούμενον " Λεωκόριον." Cicero mentions the temple—" In ple-"risque civitatibus intelligi potest augendæ virtutis " gratia, quo libentius reipublicæ causa periculum adiret " optimus quisque, virorum fortium memoriam honore " deorum immortalium consecratam. Ob eam enim "ipsam causam Erectheus Athenis filiæque ejus in "numero deorum sunt. Itemque Leoidum est delubrum "Athenis, quod Leocorion vocatur." De Nat. Deor. 111. 19.

We have already seen (p. 11.) that Pausanias begins his description of Athens from the gate called in the map Δίπυλου. The first objects on entering this gate were, the Πομπείου, a temple of Ceres, the στοὰ βασίλειος, the στοὰ of Ζεὺς Ἐλευθέριος, and the temple of Apollo Πατρῷος. Εἰσελθόντων δὲ εἰς τὴν πόλιν, οἰκο"δόμημα ἐς παρασκευήν ἐστι τῶν πομπῶν ᾶς πέμπουσι, "τὰς μὲν ἄνα πᾶν ἔτος," (he means the lesser Panathenæa) "τὰς δὲ καὶ χρόνον διαλείποντος," (he means the greater Panathenæa, which were celebrated every 4th year) "καὶ πλησίον ναός ἐστι Δήμητρος. \* \* \* "στοαὶ δὲ εἰσιν ἀπὸ τῶν πυλῶν ἐς τὸν Κεραμεικόν, καὶ "εἰκόνες πρὸ αὐτῶν χαλκαῖ καὶ γυναικῶν καὶ ἀνδρῶν, "ὅσοις τι ὑπῆρχε, καὶ ὧν τις λόγος ἐς δόξαν. ἡ δὲ " ἐτέρα τῶν στοῶν ἔχει μὲν ἱερὰ θεῶν, ἔχει δὲ γυμνά-

" σιον Ερμοῦ καλούμενον. ἔστι δὲ ἐν αὐτῆ Πολυτίωνος " οἰκία, καθ' ἡν παρὰ τὴν ἐν Ἐλευσῖνι δρᾶσαι τελετὴν " 'Αθηναίων φασίν οὐ τοὺς ἀφανεστάτους." 1. 2. (He alludes here to the mock celebration of the Eleusinian mysteries by Alcibiades.) "πρώτη δέ ἐστιν ἐν δεξιᾶ " καλουμένη στοά βασίλειος, ένθα καθίζει βασιλεύς " ἐνιαυσίαν ἄρχων ἀρχὴν καλουμένην βασιλείαν. \* \* \* " ἐνταῦθα ἔστηκε Ζεὺς ὀνομαζόμενος Ἐλευθέριος. \* \* \* " στοὰ δὲ ὅπισθεν ῷκοδόμηται γραφὰς ἔχουσα θεούς " δώδεκα καλουμένους. \* \* \* ταύτας τὰς γραφὰς " Εὐφράνωρ ἔγραψεν 'Αθηναίοις, και πλησίον ἐποίησεν " ἐν τῶ ναῶ τὸν ᾿Απόλλωνα Πατρῶον ἐπίκλησιν." 1. 3. The Πομπείον was a building in which the vessels, ornaments, and images, whether of gold or silver  $(\pi o \mu \pi \epsilon \hat{i} a.)$ used in sacred processions, were kept. Hesychius seems to confound the two words, for he says—" πομπεία τὰ " πρός τὰς πομπὰς σκεύη ἡ τόποι ἐν οἶς τὰ ἐκ τῆς " πομπης ἀποτίθεται." Demosthenes mentions the building: " καὶ ταύτα πάντες ἴστε ἐν τῷ Πομπείω δια-"μετρούμενοι." adv. Phorm. 918. The sacred vessels kept here must have been of great value; for Thucvdides. and, after him, Diodorus Siculus, specify these in their enumeration of the resources of Athens-" χωρίς δὲ " χρυσίου ἀσήμου καὶ ἀργυρίου ἔν τε ἀναθήμασιν ἰδίοις " καλ δημοσίοις καλ όσα ίερα σκεύη περί τε τας πομπάς " καὶ τοὺς ἀγῶνας καὶ σκῦλα Μηδικὰ καὶ εἴ τι τοιουτό-" τροπον, οὐκ ἐλάσσονος ἢν ἢ πεντακοσίων ταλάντων." Thucyd. 11, 13. " χωρίς δὲ τούτων τά τε πομπεία " σκεύη καὶ τὰ Μηδικὰ σκῦλα πεντακοσίων ἄξια ταλάν-" των ἀπεφήνατο." Diod. Sic. XII. 40.\*

<sup>\*</sup> Forchhammer, in support of his theory respecting the gate from

It was natural that a temple of the goddess worshipped at Eleusis should stand, as we learn from Pausanias that it did, near the  $\Pi o \mu \pi \epsilon \hat{i} o \nu$ .

The βασιλειος στοά was the building in which the ἄρχων βασιλεύς held his court; and it stood near the στοά οf Ζεὺς Ἐλευθέριος. "δύο εἰσὶ στοαὶ παρ' ἀλλήλας, "ἤ τε τοῦ Ἐλευθερίου Διὸς καὶ ἡ βασίλειος." Suid. in νος. 'βασίλειος.' The court of Areiopagus sometimes held its sittings in the βασίλειος στοά. "τὸ τὴν 'Αρείου 'Επάγου βουλὴν ὅταν ἐν τῷ βασιλείω στοῷ καθεζομένη "περισχοινίσηται, κατὰ πολλὴν ἡσυχίαν ἐψ' ἑαυτῆς ' εἶναι.' Demosth. contra Aristog. 776.

The author of the letters of Æschines says, that the Thebans fined Pindar for panegyrizing Athens; on which the Athenians—" διπλὴν αὐτῷ τὴν ζημίαν ἀπ-" έδοσαν, μετὰ τοῦ εἰκόνι χαλκῷ τιμῆσαι καὶ ἦν αὐτὴ " καὶ εἰς ἡμᾶς ἔτι, πρὸ τῆς βασιλείου στοᾶς, καθήμενος " ἐνδύματι καὶ λύρᾳ ὁ Πίνδαρος, διάδημα ἔχων καὶ ἐπὶ τῶν γονάτων ἀνειλιγμένον βιβλίον." Ερ. 4. Aristo-

which Pausanias started, places the Πομπεΐον immediately inside the Peiraic gate. It is not easy to understand why such a building should have stood in so inconvenient a place: the objection to the obvious impropriety of such a position is not removed by M. Forchhammer's rather irrelevant remark—"Were we to suppose that Pausanias in—"tended to allude to the Panathenaic procession, the distance of this "Πομπεΐον from the place where the Panathenaic processions began, in "the Outer Cerameicus, would no more furnish a reason against the "position I have assigned to it, than the fact that the regalia used in "the coronation of the kings of England are kept in the Tower, would prove that the Tower was close to Westminster Abbey." p. 31. Probably, the regalia would not be kept in the Tower, if they were wanted as often as the vessels in the Πομπεΐον, instead of being required only a few times in a century. Forchhammer thinks that the vessels of the Πομπεΐον were not used in the Panathenaic, but only in the Eleusinian, processions. But supposing this were the case, the objection lies just as strong against the fitness of this site of the building.

phanes says—

καὶ κηρύξει τοὺς ἐκ τοῦ βῆτ' ἐπὶ τὴν σταιὰν ἀκολουθεῖν

την βασίλειον δειπνήσοντας το δε θητ' ες την παρά ταύτην. Εccles. 684.

By the last words, την παρὰ ταύτην, the poet undoubtedly means the στοὰ Διὸς Ἐλευθερίου. The poet's two tickets were as near each other in name, as the portices were in place. Suidas says—" ἐλευθέριος ὁ Ζεὺς ὅ διὰ τοῦτο ἐκλήθη διὰ τὸ τοὺς ἐξελευθέρους (libertos) "την στοὰν οἰκοδομήσαι τὴν πλησίον αὐτοῦ. οὕτω μὲν " Ὑπερίδης. ὁ δὲ Δίδυμος, οὐ διὰ τοῦτο φησὶν, ἀλλὰ " διὰ τὸ τῆς Μηδικῆς δουλείας καὶ ἐπικρατείας ἀπαλ- "λαγῆναι τοὺς 'Αθηναίους." in voc.

The shields of distinguished Athenians who perished in battle were sometimes suspended in the portico of Jupiter. Pausanias specifies Leocritus, as having received this honour—"και οἱ πεσόντι ἐν τῆ μάχη τιμαὶ "παρ' ᾿Αθηναίων καὶ ἄλλαι γεγόνασι, καὶ τὴν ἀσπίδα "ἀνέθεσαν τῷ Διὶ τῷ ᾽ Ἐλευθερίῳ, τὸ ὄνομα Λεωκρίτου "καὶ τὸ κατόρθωμα ἐπυγράψαντες." I. xxvi. 2. Cydias also is commemorated, who was killed in battle with the Gauls—"τὴν ἀσπίδα οἱ προσήκοντες ἀνέθεσαν τῷ ᾽ Ελευ-" θεριφ Διί· καὶ ἦν τὸ ἐπίγραμμα· \* \* \* τοῦτο μὲν δὴ "ἐπεγέγραπτο, πρὶν ἡ τοὺς ὁμοῦ Σύλλα καὶ ἄλλα τῶν "᾿Αθήνησι, καὶ τὰς ἐν τῷ στοῷ τοῦ Ἐλευθερίου Διὸς "καθελεῖν ἀσπίδας." Χ. xxi. 3.

The worship of Apollo was introduced into Athens by the Ionians.\* He was called  $\Pi a \tau \rho \hat{\varphi} o s$ , either because

<sup>\*</sup> On this subject, see 'Muller's History of the Dorians,' b. II. ch. II. 13 and 15.

he was the father of Ion, or because he was the god of the πατραί of the Ionians. Demosthenes thus invokes him—"καλῶ δ' ἐναντίον ὑμῶν, ὧ ἄνδρες 'Αθηναίοι, τοὺς " θεοὺς ἄπαντας καὶ πάσας, ὅσοι τὴν χώραν ἔχουσι τὴν " 'Αττικήν, καὶ τὸν 'Απόλλω τὸν Πύθιον, ὃς πατρῷός " ἐστι τῷ πόλει." De Cor. 274.

The naval car, which carried the sacred Peplos in the great Panathenaic procession, was kept in this temple of Apollo, "to be exhibited" (as Dr. Wordsworth says) "in after times, as an object of admiration to travellers, "when it had ceased to perform its festal voyages; as "the ducal barge of Venice, the Bucentoro, in which " the Doge solemnized the annual marriage of the sea, " is now preserved for the same purpose in the Venetian "Arsenal." Ch. 23. p. 186. Pausanias says, that the vessel was kept "near the Areiopagus," a situation which perfectly agrees with his description of the site of the temple of Apollo Πατρώος.—" τοῦ δὲ ᾿Αρείου " πάγου πλησίον δείκνυται ναθε ποιηθείσα είς τὴν τῶν " Παναθηναίων πομπήν." Ι. xxix. 1. The Mother of the gods, and the Father of the people, naturally had their temples near each other.

Pausanias states, that the temple of Vulcan was above, or to the north of, the βασίλειος στοά; and, proceeding eastward on his route, he comes to the statue of Mercury 'Αγοραῖος, and the famous ποικίλη στοά. "ὑπὲρ δὲ τὸν Κεραμεικὸν καὶ στοὰν τὴν καλου-" μένην βασίλειον ναός ἐστιν 'Ηφαίστου' \* \* \* ἰοῦσι ' δὲ πρὸς τὴν στοὰν ῆν ποικίλην ὀνομάζουσιν ἀπὸ τῶν ' γραφῶν, ἔστιν 'Ερμῆς χαλκοῦς καλούμενος 'Αγοραῖος,

" καὶ πύλη πλησίον ἔπεστι δέ οἱ τρόπαιον Αθηναίων " ἱππομαχία κρατησάντων Πλείσταρχον." 1. 14, 15. Pausanias then describes the pictures in the ποικίλη στοά, with great minuteness. They were in three great compartments. The first contained a picture of the battle of Œnoe, or, rather, of the combatants drawn up in battle array against each other, before closing in action. The centre compartment represented Theseus fighting the Amazons. The last compartment contained the famous picture of the battle of Marathon.

Pausanias thus describes it—" τελευταίον δε της " γραφής είσιν οί μαχησάμενοι Μαραθώνι. Βοιωτών δέ ι οί Πλάταιαν έχοντες καὶ ὅσον ἢν ᾿Αττικόν, ἴασιν ἐς " χείρας τοίς βαρβάροις και ταύτη μέν έστιν ίσα παρ " άμφοτέρων ές τὸ ἔργον, τὸ δὲ ἔσω τῆς μάχης, φεύγον-" τές είσιν οἱ βάρβαροι καὶ ές τὸ ἔλος ὦθοῦντες ἀλλή-" λους. ἔσχατα δὲ τῆς γραφῆς νῆές τε αί Φοίνισσαι, " καὶ τῶν βαρβάρων τοὺς ἐσπίπτοντας ἐς ταύτας φονεύ-. " οντες οί Έλληνες. ἐνταῦθα καὶ Μαραθών γεγραμμένος " έστιν ήρως, ἀφ' οδ τὸ πέδιον ωνόμασται, και Θησεύς " ἀνιόντι ἐκ γῆς εἰκασμένος, Αθηνᾶ τε καὶ Ἡρακλῆς. " Μαραθωνίοις γάρ, ώς αὐτοὶ λέγουσιν, Ήρακλης ένο-" μίσθη θεὸς ἐν πρώτοις. τῶν μαγομένων δὲ δῆλοι " μάλιστά είσιν εν τη γραφή Καλλίμαχός τε δε 'Αθη-" ναίοις πολεμαρχείν ήρητο, καὶ Μιλτιάδης τῶν στρατη-" γούντων, ήρως τε Εχετλος καλούμενος, οὖ καὶ ὕστερον " ποιήσομαι μνήμην." Pausan. 1. 15. " Huic Miltiadi, " qui Athenas totamque Græciam liberavit, talis honos "tributus est, in porticu quæ Pœcile vocatur, quum " pugna depingeretur Marathonia, ut in decem præ"torum numero prima ejus imago poneretur, isque "hortaretur milites, præliumque committeret." Corn. Nep. Miltiad. 6. This was the στοά which gave name to the Stoic school of philosophy.

" Quæque docet sapiens braccatis illita Medis
" Porticus." Pers. 111. 53.

Diogenes Laertius, lib. VII. 1. 6, says of Zeno—" ἀνα" κάμπτων δὲ ἐν τἢ ποικίλη στοᾳ τἢ καὶ Πεισιανακτείφ
" καλουμένη, ἀπὸ δὲ τῆς γραφῆς τῆς Πολυγνώτου,
" Ποικίλη, διέθετο τοὺς λόγους, βουλόμενος καὶ τὸ χω" ρίον ἀπερίστατον ποιῆσαι. ἐπὶ γὰρ τῶν τριάκοντα,
" τῶν πολιτῶν πρὸς τοὺς χιλίους τετρακοσίους ἀνήρηντο
" ἐν αὐτῷ. προσήεσαν δὲ λοιπὸν ἀκούοντες αὐτοῦ, καὶ
" διὰ τοῦτο Στωϊκοὶ ἐκλήθησαν καὶ οἱ ἀπὰ αὐτοῦ ὁμοίως,
" πρότερον Ζηνώνειοι καλούμενοι." Pliny speaks of
Polygnotus as one of the painters of the ποικίλη στοά—
" Hic (Polygnotus Thasius) et Athenis porticum, quæ
" Pœcile vocatur, gratuito, cum partem ejus Micon
" mercede pingeret: unde major huic auctoritas."
N. H. XXXV. IX. 35.

The temple of Vulcan stood beyond the Agora,  $\dot{\nu}\pi\dot{\epsilon}\rho$  τὸν Κεραμεικόν, in the district of the urban Colonus. The bronze statue of Mercury 'Αγοραῖος stood near; and the ποικίλη στοά, which was close at hand, must have stood at the northern entrance of the Agora. This statue of Mercury is called by Harpocration 'Ερμῆς ὁ πρὸς τῆ πυλίδι. Lucian, Jup. Trag. 33, says—" ὁ " σὸς, ὧ 'Ερμῆ, ἀδελφός ἐστιν, ὁ ἀγοραῖος, ὁ παρὰ τὴν " ποικίλην." Demosthenes says—" περὶ τὸν 'Ερμῆν τὸν ' πρός τῆ πυλίδι προσεκαλεσάμην." contr. Everg. 1146.

The gate, near which this statue of Mercury stood, is taken, by the generality of modern topographers, to mean the "gate of the Agora." Forchhammer denies the propriety of this: he thinks that this  $\pi\nu\lambda$ /s was a triumphal arch, not a gate, in the proper sense of the word;—and that it is improperly called  $\pi\nu\lambda$ , by Pausanias. He quotes a scholiast on Aristophanes, Equit. 297, to show that the statue did not stand at the entrance, but in the middle, of the Agora. The verse is—

νη τὸν Ἑρμην τὸν ᾿Αγοραῖον, κἀπιορκώ γε βλεπόντων.

On which the scholiast says—" ἐν μέση ἀγορᾳ ἴδρυται 'Ερμοῦ 'Αγοραίου ἄγαλμα." Without interpreting the expression, 'in the midst of the Agora,' too strictly, it must certainly be granted that such an expression is inconsistent with the idea of the statue having stood at the entrance of the Agora. But the word 'Agora' was probably used by the scholiast in a loose and indefinite 'way; and he makes no mention of the 'Gate.' A triumphal arch would certainly have been a natural entrance; just as the Fabian arch formed the entrance to the 'Roman Forum.' Harpocration, loc. laud. says—"Φιλόχορος ἐν τῷ πέμπτῳ 'Ατθίδος φησὶ περὶ τοῦ πρὸς "τῆ πυλίδι 'Ερμοῦ, ὡς ἀρξάμενοι τειχίζειν τὸν Πειραιᾶ "οἱ ἐννέα ἄρχοντες τοῦτον ἀναθέντες ἐπέγραψαν.

" ἀρξάμενοι πρώτοι τειχίζειν τόνδ' ἀνέθηκαν " βουλής καὶ δήμου δόγμασι πειθόμενοι."

The famous ποικίλη στοά gained its name from its magnificent gallery of pictures; but it also contained

some shields affixed to its walls. " ἐνταῦθα ἀσπίδες κεῖν-" ται χαλκαῖ, καὶ ταῖς μέν ἐστιν ἐπίγραμμα, ἀπὸ Σκιω-" ναίων καὶ τῶν ἐπικούρων εἶναι· τὰς δὲ ἐπαληλιμμένας " πίσση, μὴ σφᾶς ὅ τε χρόνος λυμήνηται καὶ ὅσα " Λακεδαιμονίων εἶναι λέγεται τῶν ἀλόντων ἐν τῆ " Σφακτηρία νήσω." Pausan. I. 15. These shields are referred to with great pride by Cleon, in the play of the 'Knights:'—

άπαξάπαντας τοὺς ἐμοὺς ἐχθροὺς ἐπιστομίζειν ἐως ᾶν ἢ τῶν ἀσπίδων τῶν ἐκ Πύλου τι λοιπόν.

v. 845.

It is improbable, however, that the original shields should have been there in the time of Pausanias: the Lacedæmonians would assuredly have removed them, when they occupied Athens, at the end of the Peloponnesian War.

Æschines speaks of the ποικίλη στοά as being in the Agora. "προσέλθετε δὴ τῇ διανοία καὶ εἰς τὴν "στοὰν τὴν ποικίλην. ἀπάντων γὰρ ὑμῖν τῶν καλῶν "ἔργων τὰ ὑπομνήματα ἐν τῇ ἀγορῷ ἀνάκειται. τί οὖν "ἔστιν, ὧ ἄνδρες 'Αθηναῖοι, δ ἐγὼ λέγω; ἐνταῦθα ἡ ἐν "Μαραθῶνι μάχη γέγραπται." In Ctesiph. 437. Reiske.

Hermæ were square columns, surmounted with the head of a deity, or man: a row of them ran from the βασίλειος στοά to the ποικίλη στοά. Harpocration has the following, under the word Έρμαι:—" Μενεκλής ἡ " Καλλίστρατος ἐν τῷ περὶ ᾿Αθηναίων γράφει· ἀπὸ γὰρ "τῆς ποικίλης καὶ τὴς τοῦ βασιλέως στοᾶς εἰσιν οἱ Έρ-" μαι καλούμενοι." Thucydides explains the word—" ἐν δὲ τούτφ ὅσοι Ἑρμαι ἦσαν λίθινοι ἐν τῷ πόλει τῶν

" 'Αθηναιων (εἰσὶ δὲ κατὰ τὸ ἐπιχώριον ἡ τετράγωνος 
" ἐργασία, πολλοὶ καὶ ἐν ἰδίοις προθύροις καὶ ἐν ἱεροῖς) 
" μιῷ νυκτὶ οἱ πλεῖστοι περιεκόπησαν τὰ πρόσωπα." 
VI. 27. Æschines refers to this street of Hermæ—
" ἔδωκεν αὐτοῖς ὁ δῆμος τιμὰς μεγάλας, ὡς τότ ἐδόκει, 
" τρεῖς λιθίνους Ἑρμᾶς, στήσας ἐν τῷ στοῷ τῷ τῶν Ἑρ" μῶν ἐφ' ἔντε μὴ ἐπιγράφειν τὰ ὀνόματα." In Ctesiph. 
435. And he then quotes some inscriptions on Hermæ. 
Hesychius describes Ἱππάρχειοι Ἑρμαῖ thus—" ἀς ἀνέ" στησεν Ἱππαρχος στήλας, ἐγγράψας εἰς αὐτὰς ἐλεγεῖα, 
" ἐξ ὧν ἔμελλον βελτίους οἱ ἀναγινώσκοντες γένεσθαι." 
Böckh gives a copy of a very ancient Hermes, with 
a verse on it, which he deciphers, and represents in the following manner—

ἐν μέσσφ γε Θρίης τε καὶ ἄστεος, ἄνερ, ὅθ' Ἑρμῆς. Corp. Inscr. n. 12.\*

Hipparchus made use of these Hermæ as mile-stones, and direction-posts.

<sup>\*</sup> Böckh's commentary on this Inscription should by all means be consulted.

### THE HILL OF MARS.

The Hill of Mars, or Areiopagus, was divided by a narrow valley from the western side of the Acropolis. It ran in a north-westerly direction, forming the northern limit of the Agora. The Acropolis was assailable only from the west. The Areiopagus, therefore, was the ground occupied by Xerxes, when he besieged the citadel. " οἱ δὲ Πέρσαι ἰζόμενοι ἐπὶ τὸν καταντίον " της ακροπόλιος όχθου, του 'Αθηναίοι καλούσιν 'Αρητον " πάγον, επολιόρκεον τρόπον τοίονδε." Herod. VIII. 52. Pausanias thus describes the Hill-" ἔστι δὲ "Αρειος " πάγος καλούμενος, ὅτι πρῶτος Αρης ἐνταῦθα ἐκρίθη. " καί μοι καὶ ταθτα δεδήλωκεν ὁ λόγος, ὡς Αλιρρόθιον " ἀνέλοι, καὶ ἐφ' ὅτφ κτείνειε. κριθῆναι δὲ καὶ ὕστερον " 'Ορέστην λέγουσιν έπλ τῷ φόνφ τῆς μητρός καλ βω-" μός έστιν 'Αθηνας 'Αρείας, δν ανέθηκεν αποφυγών την " δίκην τούς δε άργους λίθους εφ' ών έστασιν όσοι δίκας " ὑπέγουσι καὶ οἱ διώκοντες, τὸν μὲν ὕβρεως τὸν δὲ " αναιτίας αὐτοῖς ονομάζουσι. πλησίον δὲ ἱερὸν Θεών " έστιν, ᾶς καλοῦσιν 'Αθηναῖοι Σεμνάς. \* \* \* ἔστι δὲ " έντὸς τοῦ περιβόλου μνημα Οἰδίποδος. πολυπραγ-" μονῶν δὲ εὕρισκον τὰ ὀστᾶ ἐκ Θηβῶν κομισθέντα: " τὰ γὰρ ἐς τὸν θάνατον Σοφοκλεῖ πεποιημένα τὸν

" Οἰδίποδος, "Ομηρος οὐκ εἴα μοι δόξαι πιστά, δε ἔφη " Μηκιστέα, τελευτήσαντος Οἰδίποδος, ἐπιτάφιον (sc. " ἀγῶνα) ἐλθόντα ἐς Θήβας ἀγωνίσασθαι." 1. 28. The passage in Homer to which he refers is this—

Μηκιστέος υίος Ταλαϊονίδαο ἄνακτος, δε ποτε Θήβαςδ' ἢλθε δεδουπότος Οἰδιπόδαο ἐς τάφον' ἔνθα δὲ πάντας ἐνίκα Καδμείωνας.

**II.** xx111. 678.

Dr. Wordsworth thus describes the present appearance of the Areiopagus, and the temple of the Seuval Heal-" Sixteen stone steps cut in the rock, at its south-"east angle, lead up to the Hill of the Areopagus from "the valley of the Agora, which lies between it and the "Pnyx. This angle seems to be the point of the hill "on which the Council of the Areopagus sat. "diately above the steps, on the level of the hill, is "a bench of stone, excavated in the lime-stone rock, " forming three sides of a triangle, like a triclinium: it " faces the south: on its east and west sides is a raised "block; the former (i. e. the triangular bench) may "have been the tribunal; the two latter the rude 4 stones\* which Pausanias saw here, and which are "described by Euripides, as assigned, the one to the "accuser, the other to the criminal, in the causes "which were tried in this court. There the Areopagites.

<sup>\*</sup> So Dr. Wordsworth translates the expression ἀργοὺς λίθους. (The MSS. have ἀργυροῦς λίθους, which is, of course, unintelligible.) And it is certain that Pausanias uses the word ἀργός in the sense of uncoined—unfashioned—unwrought—καὶ ἀργὸν τὸν ἄργυρον καὶ χρυσόν. III. 12. It may, however, be doubted whether the word should not be translated 'white' in the present passage.

"distinguished alike for their character, rank, and "official dignity, sat as judges, on a rocky hill in the open air." p. 74. The following is the passage cited by Dr. Wordsworth—

ώς δ' εἰς ᾿Αρειον ὅχθον ἦκον ἐς δίκην τ' ἔστην, ἐγὰ μὲν θάτερον λαβὰν βάθρον, τὸ δ' ἄλλο πρέσβειρ' ἦπερ ἦν Ἐρινύων, εἰπὰν ἀκούσας θ' αἵματος μητρὸς πέρι, Φοῖβός μ' ἔσωσε μαρτυρῶν. Iphig. in Taur. 96 ι.

St. Paul, as the introducer of new deities, would naturally plead before the Areiopagites—the religious tribunal of Athens. If the Apostle stood at this spot, with the Agora at his feet, and the Acropolis immediately on his left, he might well describe the city as κατείδωλοs, 'full of idols.' (Acta Apost. XVII. 16.)

The temple of the Eumenides was placed immediately at the foot of the Hill of Mars. I avail myself once more of Dr. Wordsworth's learned research:—"The exact position of this temple, if temple it may be called, is at the north-eastern angle of the Areopagus, at its base.\* There is a wide long chasm there, formed by split rocks, through which we enter a gloomy recess. Here is a fountain of very dark water. That this is the site of the temple of the Semnai, it is superfluous to repeat proofs. That this dark recess and fountain formed, with a few artificial additions, the very temple itself, is, I think, equally certain. The character of the temple is described by ancient

<sup>\*</sup> Vid. 'Müller's Dissertation on the Eumenides,' p.170. §. 67. English transl. He points out the connection between the Erinyes and the Court of Areiopagus.

"authors with the same clearness as its position. To "those descriptions, the spot in which we are com"pletely corresponds. Here is the chasm of the earth: 
"this is the subterranean chamber; this the source of "water; which were the characteristics of the temple "in question.

"The place was well adapted to the solemn character "of the deities to whom it was consecrated. The torches. " with which the Eumenides were afterwards furnished. " as a poetic attribute, perhaps owed their origin to the "darkness of this Athenian temple, in which those "goddesses were enshrined. Æschvlus imagined the " procession, which escorted the Eumenides to this their "temple, as descending the rocky steps, above described, " from the platform of the Areopagus; then winding " round the eastern angle of that hill, and conducting "them, with the sound of music and glare of torches, " along this rocky ravine to this dark enclosure. " his time the contrast of the silence and gloom of this " sacred place, with the noise and splendour of the city, " in the heart of which it was, must have been inex-"pressibly solemn. Now, the temple and its neigh-"bourhood are both alike desolate and still." p. 78-80.

Euripides thus refers to the court of Areiopagus, and the chasm where the Eumenides were worshipped—

ἔστιν δ' \*Αρεώς τις ὄχθος, οὖ πρῶτον θεοὶ ἔζοντ' ἐπὶ ψήφοισιν αἵματος πέρι, 'Αλιβρόθιον ὅτ' ἔκταν' ὡμόφρων \*Αρης.

Electr. 1258.

δειναλ μὲν οὖν θεαλ τῷδ' ἄχει πεπληγμέναι πάγον παρ' αὐτὸν χάσμα δύσονται χθονὸς σεμνὸν βροτοῖσιν εὐσεβὲν χρηστήριον.

1b. 1270.

In Æschylus, Minerva thus addresses the Eumenides—
χαίρετε χύμεις προτέραν δ' ἐμὲ χρὴ
στείχειν θαλάμους ἀποδείξουσαν.
πρὸς φῶς ἰερὸν τῶνδε προπομπῶν
ἴτε, καὶ σφαγίων τῶνδ' ὑπὸ σεμνῶν
κατὰ γῆς σύμεναι, τὸ μὲν ἀτηρὸν
χώρας κατέχειν, τὸ δὲ κερδαλέον
πέμπειν πόλεως ἐπὶ νίκη.
Ευπεπ. 1003.

And the conductors of the goddesses thus address them;
βάτε δόμφ μεγάλαι φιλότιμοι
Νυκτὸς παίδες ἄπαιδες, ὑπ' εὐθύφρονι πομπậ
(εὐφαμεῖτε δὲ, χωρῖται')
γᾶς ὑπὸ κεύθεσιν ὡγυγίοισι\*
καὶ τιμαῖς καὶ θυσίαις περίσεπται τύχα τε.

1033.

To the north of the Areiopagus considerable remains still exist of the Gymnasium built by Ptolemy Philadelphus. Pausanias, in his description of the Agora, says—" 'Αθηναίοις δὲ ἐν τῆ ἀγορῷ καὶ ἄλλα ἐστὶν οὐκ " ἐς ἄπαντας ἐπίσημα, καὶ 'Ελέου βωμός, ῷ μάλιστα " Θεῶν ἐς ἀνθρώπινον βίον καὶ μεταβολὰς πραγμάτων " ὅτι ὡφέλιμος, μόνοι τιμὰς 'Ελλήνων νέμουσιν 'Αθη-" ναῖοι. \* \* \* ἐν δὲ τῷ γυμνασίφ τῆς ἀγορᾶς ἀπέχοντι " οὐ πολὺ, Πτολεμαίου δὲ ἀπὸ τοῦ κατασκευασμένου

<sup>\*</sup> wyvylow, dark. Vid. Philological Museum, vol. II. p. 348-50.

" καλουμένφ, λίθοι τέ εἰσιν Ἑρμαῖ θέας ἄξιοι, καὶ εἰκὼν "Πτολεμαίου χαλκῆ \* \* \* πρὸς δὲ τῷ γυμνασίφ "Θησέως ἐστὶν ἰερόν." 1. 17. Cicero mentions the building—" Cum audissem Antiochum, Brute, ut sole-"bam, cum M. Pisone in eo gymnasio, quod Ptolemæum "vocatur." De Fin. v. 1.

#### THE NEW AGORA.

Ptolemy's Gymnasium is supposed by the generality of modern topographers to have stood in what is called 'The New Agora.' Col. Leake, p. 63, says-" Another " position in ancient Athens, of which there can be no "doubt, although it has sometimes been mistaken, is "the New Agora, in the quarter of Eretria, apparently "the only one in use in the time of Augustus, when "Strabo wrote; and of Antoninus, when Pausanias " travelled. The Propylea, or gateway of this Agora, " is still in existence: it consists of a portico of four "Doric columns, supporting a pediment: besides which. "there are some remains of one of the antæ, which " terminated two walls, forming a quadrangular vesti-" bule between the columns, and the door leading into "the Agora. The jambs of this door are likewise in "their original places. The proofs of the destination " of the building are found in its plan, and upon com-" paring together three inscriptions, which have been "published by Spon, Wheler, and Stuart." One of these

<sup>\*</sup> Spon's Voyage, &c. vol. II. p. 274. Wheler's Travels, p. 389. Drawings of the building, and copies of the various inscriptions, are given in Stuart, vol. I. p. 1.

"inscriptions, which is still to be seen upon the episty"lium of the portal, shows that the building was erected
"out of the donations bestowed upon Athens by Julius
"Cæsar and Augustus: another, copied by Stuart from
"a quadrangular base in the entrance of the portal,
"proves that the base supported a statue of Julia
"Augusta, erected at the expense of one of the two
"Agoranoni, or directors of the market: and the
"third is a long decree of the Emperor Hadrian, re"specting the sale of oils, and the duties to be paid
"upon them, inscribed upon one of the jambs of the
"inner door: a fourth inscription, on the apex of the
"pediment, shows that upon the summit stood a statue
"of Lucius Cæsar, the grandson of Augustus, and his
"adopted son." p. 63.

The existence of this 'New Agora' is positively and rather angrily denied by Forchhammer. "Were it "not," says he, p. 53, seq. "that errors frequently "resemble burs, and faith in one's own authority, or "in that of others, a coat; it would be inconceivable "how, in the total absence of any tenable proof, and "in spite of the established certainty that 'Agora' and "Cerameicus' were almost identical terms; in spite of the established certainty that the ground on the one "side of the Στοὰ Βασίλειος, and of that gate," (i. e. the Gate of the Agora) "as well as the ground on the "other, belonged to the Agora;—it is inconceivable, "I say, how, in spite of all this, topographers could "have imagined that Pausanias did not enter the Agora "before the spot where he calls it by that name, and

"therefore did not enter the ancient and only Agora "described by him already, but a so-called 'New "Agora,' to which, upon the authority of Meursius, "they gave a particular name, viz. the 'Eretrian,' " and assigned the time of Augustus as that of its " foundation; whilst they try in vain to make out its "locality even from the existing remains, giving it a "large extent to the north of the Acropolis, and ven-" turing to point out the still standing gate as the one " beside the Hermes Agoraios. It will be necessary " to enter somewhat minutely upon the refutation of "this fundamental error in the topography of Athens. "The first discoverer (erfinder) of this so-called 'New "Agora,' if I am not deceived, was Meursius, (Ceramicus "Geminus, p. 16.) He was followed by subsequent writers. " Meursius appeals to Apollodorus." The passage in Apollodorus is quoted by Forchhammer, at p.38:-"Har-" pocration, Πάνδημος 'Αφροδίτη, 'Υπερίδης εν τῷ κατὰ " Πατροκλέους εἰ γνήσιος. 'Απολλόδωρος ἐν τῷ περὶ " θεών, Πάνδημόν φησιν 'Αθήνησιν κληθήναι την άφι-" δρυθείσαν περί την άρχαιαν άγοραν διά τὸ ἐνταῦθα " πάντα τὸν δημον συνάγεσθαι τὸ παλαιὸν ἐν ταῖς ἐκ-" κλησίαις, ας ἐκάλουν ἀγοράς. Νίκανδρος δὲ ἔκτφ " Κολοφωνιακών Σόλωνά φησι σώματα άγοράσαντα εὐ-" πρεπή ἐπὶ στέγης στήσαι διὰ τοὺς νέους καὶ ἐκ τῶν " περιγενομένων χρημάτων ίδρύσασθαι Αφροδίτης Παν-" δήμου ἱερόν. ἔστι δὲ πάνδημον πάγκοινον." On which Forchhammer observes-" In mentioning the 'Ancient " Agora' (τὴν ἀρχαίαν ἀγοράν,) we may remark by the "way, that the words of Apollodorus contain the sole "testimony afforded by antiquity, upon which the moderns can found their distinction of an old and a new Agora, although they do not lay any particular stress on them. They have been induced to adopt this distinction principally by the erroneous opinion, that the so called Porticus on the north side of the Acropolis, close to the modern Bazaar, was the Gate of the Agora mentioned by Pausanias.

"I have refuted this opinion in detail, in a treatise "which appeared in the "Beitedrift für Alterthumswiffen-ு foaft," and I rejoice to find that Ross, in his treatise on "the Theseium, admits only one Agora, although his "reasons for placing it to the north of the defile between "the Acropolis and the Areopagus appear to me alto-"gether untenable. With regard to the expression of " Apollodorus 'τὴν ἀρχαίαν ἀγοράν,' it is not to be "taken as if it meant to distinguish an old, from a new, "Agora. \* \* \* Apollodorus, who lived 100 years before "Augustus, could not speak of an 'old' Agora, as dis-"tinguished from the so-called 'new' one, which Leake "admits was not established until the reign of Augustus, " in the vicinity of Eretria: nor could Apollodorus have "thought of calling the Agora (there being then but one) " 'the old' one, however old it might be. He might as "well have spoken of an 'old Cerameicus,' or an 'old "Acropolis.' Apollodorus himself throws sufficient light " on the expression he has used (bie Wahl biefer Benennung.) "He is, like Pausanias, of opinion that Theseus united "all the demi into one, and first summoned all the people "to one assembly. These assemblies were in ancient "times called  $\dot{\alpha}\gamma o\rho a l$ , as were the assemblies of the  $\delta \hat{\eta}\mu os$  "even in later times. In this sense, Apollodorus derives "the name of Agora from the assembling of the people, " $(\sigma vv\dot{\alpha}\gamma e\sigma\theta a\iota)$ , and calls the place of popular assembly "in the market, beside the 'Pandemos,' the old Agora, "in contra-distinction to the later place of assembly at "the Pnyx." p.30.

" Meursius, however, believes the Agora to have been " transferred to a different place. This conclusion is " derived from the words of Strabo-'Eperpiéas &' oi " μεν ἀπὸ Μακίστου τῆς Τριφυλίας ἀποικισθῆναί φασιν " ὑπ' Ἐρετριέως (Ἐρετρίας, Oxon.) οἱ δ' ἀπὸ τῆς ᾿Αθή-" νησιν Ἐρετρίας, η νῦν ἀγορά. lib. x. p. 652. Now, " not to mention that it is doubtful whether that "Agora is the market, or a market; whether at Athens, " or in Attica;" (this last seems rather a liberal way of interpreting  $\tau \hat{\eta}_S$  'A $\theta \hat{\eta} \nu \eta \sigma \iota \nu$  'E $\rho \epsilon \tau \rho (a_S)$ " it cannot be " imagined, even admitting the probable supposition "that the market at Athens is meant, why Strabo should " not have spoken of the so-called ancient Agora. That " now (vûv) is evidently opposed to the time when, " according to the tradition, the Agora was still the " δημος Eretria, the inhabitants of which were said to " have founded Eretria in Eubœa; but by no means "opposed to a time but lately passed, or to some other " more ancient market. Strabo himself explains the "name of Eretria by the more ancient name of Arotria, "i. e. arable land. Μελανητς δ' έκαλειτο πρότερον ή " Ἐρέτρια, καὶ ᾿Αρότρια. (loc. laud.) The Agora of "Athens was once arable land, as it is again now-a" days; and that name is, no doubt, derived from the "most ancient time, and from the myth, as Grotefend "(de Demis, p. 39) justly supposes. Perhaps, if one "preferred deriving the word from ἐρέσσω, the etymo-"logy might be defended by reference to a myth, "according to the poetical invention of which, the "Acropolis and surrounding hills were once surrounded "by water." p. 54-5.

I have placed the 'New Agora' in the map, though I willingly confess that my belief in its existence has been destroyed by the original and acute remarks of Forchhammer.

With regard to the Porticus, which has been so commonly taken for the Gate of the New Agora, Forchhammer maintains that it was not a gate at all, but that it formed part of a temple dedicated to Minerva 'Aργηγέτις. This he proves from the inscription on the Architrave. (p. 57.) Another of the inscriptions, containing a decree of the Emperor Hadrian concerning the sale of oil, formed no part of this building; but the stone, on which it is engraved, has been placed where it now is in later times, to form the corner of a house. (p. 58.) The quadrangular base, from which Stuart copied another inscription, and which must have supported a statue of Julia Augusta, is certainly not standing now in its original place. (ibid.) These two stones were erroneously taken by Stuart for gate posts. There is no doubt that the building, whatever it was. was raised in the time of Augustus, and at the expense of Julius and Augustus Cæsar. Here is a copy of the inscription on the architrave-

Ο ΔΗΜΟΣ ΑΠΟ ΔΩΡΕΩΝ ΤΠΟ ΓΑΙΟΥ ΙΟΥΛΙΟΥ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΘΕΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΟΣ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΘΕΟΥ ΤΙΟΥ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ ΑΘΗΝΑΙ ΑΡΧΗΓΕΤΙΔΙ ΣΤΡΑΤΗΓΟΥΝΤΟΣ ΕΠΙ ΤΟΥΣ ΟΠΛΙΤΑΣ ΕΥΚΛΕΟΥΣ ΜΑΡΑΘΩΝΙΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΔΙΑΔΕΞΑΜΕΝΟΥ ΤΗΝ ΕΠΙΜΕΛΕΙΑΝ ΥΠΕΡ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΤΡΟΣ ΗΡΩΔΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΠΡΕΣΒΕΥΣΑΝΤΟΣ ΕΠΙ ΑΡΧΟΝΤΟΣ ΝΙΚΙΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΣΑΡΑΠΙΩΝΟΣ ΑΘΜΟΝΕΩΣ.

Finally, Forchhammer says, p. 58—"There is no "reason why these columns should be considered a "gate, far less a gate of the Agora; nor is there any "reason for supposing that there had been any Agora" in that part of the city, much less the principal market, "during the time of the Roman Emperors."

## THE REST OF THE CITY.

To the west of the ground supposed to have been occupied by the New Agora was a district called Κολωνὸς 'Αγοραίος. Suidas, in voc. κολωνέτας (κολωνίτας, Harpocration) says-" οὕτως ἀνόμαζον τοὺς μισ-" θωτούς επειδή περί του κολωνον είστήκεσαν, ός έστι " πλησίου της ἀγοράς ἔνθα τὸ Ἡφαιστεῖου καὶ τὸ " Εὐρυσάκιόν ἐστι. ἐκαλεῖτο δὲ ὁ κολωνὸς οὖτος ἀγο-" palos." Hesychius corroborates this—" ὀψ' πλθες. " άλλ' εἰς τὸν Κολωνὸν ἴεσο. ἐπὶ τῶν μισθωτῶν ἔλεγον. " τους έπι τὸ ἔργον ελθόντας όψε ἀπέλυον πάλιν είς τὸ " μισθωτήριου τὸ δὲ ἢν ἐν Κολωνῷ." in v. ἀψ. ἢλ. We have already seen that Pausanias speaks of the temple of Hephæstus as above, or to the north of, the Agora; the position therefore of the temple may be determined within a small space. It was outside of the northern limit of the Agora. It stood therefore nearly on a line with the Dipylum.\*

<sup>\*</sup> Dr. Wordsworth (p. 174) thinks that the Hephæsteium was the goal for the racers in the λαμπαδηφορία. Dr. Liddell (Smith's Dictionary of Antiquities, m v. λαμπάς) says that the racers ran to the Acropolis. Pausanias, to whom he refers, does not say so much—" ἐν λκαδημία δέ " ἐστι Προμηθέως βωμός· και θέουσιν ἀπ' αὐτοῦ πρὸς τὴν πόλιν ἔχοντες " καιομένας λαμπάδας." 1. 30. The scholiast on Aristoph. Ranæ, 1085, to which he also refers, merely says, that the race took place in the Cerameicus.

A scholiast on Aristophanes, Aves, 967— ΠΕΙΣΘ. σὺ δ' εἶ τίς ἀνδρῶν; ΜΕΤ. ὂστις εἶμ' ἐγώ; Μέτων.

δν οίδεν Έλλας χώ Κολωνός-

says—" Κολωνός ἐστιν ὁ ἔτερος ὁ Μισθὸς λεγόμενος. " οὕτως μέρος τι νῦν σύνηθες γέγονε τὸ Κολωνὸν καλεῖν " τὸ ὅπισθεν τῆς μακρᾶς στοᾶς, ἀλλ' οὐκ ἔστι. Μελίτη " γὰρ ἄπαν ἐκεῖνο, ὡς ἐν τοῖς ὁρισμοῖς γέγραπται τῆς " πόλεως." In the Ranæ of Aristophanes, Hercules is humorously thus described—

μὰ Δί' ἀλλ' ἀληθῶς οὐκ Μελίτης μαστυγίας. 501. On which the scholiasts say—" ἀντὶ τοῦ ἐκ Μελίτης " 'Ηρακλής' ή γάρ Μελίτη δήμος τής 'Αττικής \* \* \* " ἔστι δὲ ἐκεῖ καὶ 'Ηρακλέους ἱερόν' \* \* \* ἐπειδὴ ἐν " Μελίτη έστιν επιφανέστατον 'Ηρακλέους ίερον άλεξί-" κακον." A reference to the map will show that the famous temple of Theseus, which still exists, must have stood in the district called Melite. In this temple the worship of Theseus, the Attic hero, was combined with that of Hercules, the Theban hero. The temple was founded A. C. 465, Ol. 78. 4, when Cimon fetched the bones of Theseus from the isle of Scyros.\* In honouring Theseus, the Athenians could not forget Hercules, his kinsman, friend, and companion. (This mythological junction of the worship of the two heroes, is, no doubt, an expression of the historical fact, that, at the time when the Theseium was built, the Athenians were anxious for a political alliance with Thebes.) "The

<sup>\*</sup> The story is told by Plutarch in his Life of Cimon, ch. 8. Pausan. 1. 17.

"Hercules Furens of Euripides, which was written a "few years after this temple was built, and which, "like the temple itself, seems to have been intended to "celebrate unitedly the virtues of the two heroes, intro-"duces Theseus promising to Hercules that the Athe-"nians should honour him with 'eculptured marbles;' and this seems to refer to the decoration of this very building." Leake, p. 395. Theseus, amongst other things, says to Hercules—

Θήβας μὲν οὖν ἔκλειπε τοῦ νόμου χάριν, ἔπου δ' ἄμ' ἡμῖν εἰς πόλισμα Παλλάδος· ἐκεῖ χέρας σὰς ἀγνίσας μιάσματος, δόμους τε δώσω χρημάτων τ' ἐμῶν μέρος. 1322.

θανόντος δ', εὖτ' ἀν εἰς "Αιδου μόλης, θυσίαισι λαίνοισί τ' ἐξογκώμασιν τίμιον ἀνάξει πὰσ' 'Αθηναίων πόλις. 1331.

All the metopes on the eastern façade of the Theseium relate to the labours of Hercules; and it is probable that Euripides refers to them.\* The position of the region called Melite may, therefore, be considered as certainly fixed.†

We have seen (p.10) that the space between Melite and the city-wall was called κοιλή. To the east of Melite was the part called Κολυττός. Strabo says—"  $\mu \eta$  " ὄντων γὰρ ἀκριβῶν ὅρων καθάπερ Κολυττοῦ καὶ Μελίτης (οἶον στηλῶν ἡ περιβόλων) τοῦτο μὲν ἔχειν φάναι

<sup>•</sup> The Theseium is elaborately described, with plans and drawings of the marbles, by Stuart, vol. III. p. 1.

<sup>†</sup> Vid. Wordsworth, p. 173, note. The position of Melite is a most important point in Athenian topography: on no part of this subject has so much confusion and error prevailed.

" ήμᾶς, ὅτι τοῦτο μέν ἐστι Κολυττὸς τοῦτο δὲ Μελίτη."
1. p. 98.

The inhabitants of Melite were naturally anxious to have a distinct boundary set up between themselves and their neighbours of Colyttus: "for," says Dr. Wordsworth, "the least respectable quarter in the "whole of Athens was Colyttus. Hence it seems that "Demosthenes, when he speaks of Æschines, as acting "with very limited success, in a tragic character, intends "to add to the bitterness of the sarcasm, by specifying "also that the representation took place in Colyttus. "Κρεσφόντην, ἡ Κρέοντα, ἡ δν ἐν Κολυττῷ ποτὲ Οἰνό-"μαον κακὸς κακῶς ὑποκρινόμενος ἐπέτριψας. De "Coron. 288. Hence too the district of Colyttus was "probably assigned by Lucian to Timon the man-hater, "as an appropriate place for his extraction." p. 176-7.

To the east of Colyttus was Diomeia, a district which has already been referred to (p.32.) The southeastern part of Athens was, in later periods, called Hadrianopolis. The Emperor Hadrian was a great benefactor to Athens:—" Cum titulos in operibus non "amaret, multas civitates Hadrianopolis appellavit, et "ipsam Carthaginem et Athenarum partem." Spartian. in Hadrian.

The arch of Hadrian still stands at the north-western corner of the temple of Jupiter Olympius. It forms an angle of about 35 degrees with the western wall of the peribolus of that temple. On the north-western side of the arch there still exists the following inscription—

ΑΙΔ ΕΙΣ ΑΘΗΝΑΙ ΘΗΣΕΩΣ Η ΠΡΙΝ ΠΟΛΙΣ.

# And on the opposite-

## ΑΙΔ ΕΙΣ ΑΔΡΙΑΝΟΎ ΚΑΙ ΟΥΧΙ ΘΗΣΕΩΣ ΠΟΛΙΣ.

We learn from Strabo that a similar sort of inscription was engraved on a pillar that divided Attica from Peloponnesus. "καὶ δὴ καὶ περὶ τῶν ὁρίων ἀμφισβη-" τοῦντες πολλάκις οἴ τε Πελοποννήσιοι καὶ οἱ Ἰωνες, " ἐν οἱς ἢν καὶ ἡ Κρομμυωνία, συνέβησαν, καὶ στήλην " ἔστησαν ἐπὶ τοῦ συνομολογηθέντος τόπου περὶ αὐτὸν " τὸν Ἰσθμὸν ἐπιγραφὴν ἔχουσαν ἐπὶ μὲν τοῦ πρὸς τὴν " Πελοπόννησον μέρους

" τάδ' ἐστὶ Πελοπόννησος οὐκ Ἰωνία:
" ἐπὶ δὲ τοῦ πρὸς τὰ Μέγαρα:
" τάδ' οὐχὶ Πελοπόννησος ἀλλ' Ἰωνία."

lib. 1x. p. 569.

The temple of Jupiter Olympius was the most magnificent fabric ever erected by heathen piety to the great father of gods and men. Thucydides reckons it (11. 15) amongst the most ancient of the Athenian buildings. Pausanias speaks of Deucalion as the founder of the original building—" τοῦ δὲ ' Ολυμπίου Διὸς Δευ-" καλίωνα οἰκοδομήσαι λέγουσι τὸ ἀρχαίον ἱερόν, σημεία " ἀποφαίνοντες, ώς Δευκαλίων Αθήνησιν ὅκησε, τάφον " τοῦ ναοῦ τοῦ νῦν οὐ πολὺ ἀφεστηκότα. 'Αδριανὸς δὲ " κατεσκευάσατο μεν καὶ ἄλλα 'Αθηναίοις, ναὸν "Ηρας, " καλ Διὸς Πανελληνίου, καλ θεοίς τοίς πάσιν ίερον " κοινόν." 1. 18. Peisistrates commenced a new structure upon a magnificent plan, A. C. 530, Ol. 62. 3; but it was not finished. Antiochus Epiphanes, about 174 A. C. undertook its completion: he, however, left the work unfinished: and Sylla, when he took Athens,

carried away the columns which had been prepared for this building, to erect them in the temple of Jupiter Capitolinus at Rome. (Leake, p. 401.) Vitruvius says, lib. vII. proæm. "Athenis Antistates et Callæschros " et Antimachides et Porinos architecti Peisistrato "ædem Jovi Olympio facienti fundamenta constitue-"runt: post mortem autem ejus propter interpellatio-"nem reipublicæ" (this is an absurd reason!) "incerta "reliquerunt; itaque circiter annis ducentis post" (it was about 350 years after) "Antiochus rex cum in "id opus impensam esset pollicitus, cellæ magnitudi-" nem, et columnarum circa dipteron collocationem, "epistyliorumque et cæterorum ornamentorum ad sym-" metriam distributionem magna solertia scientiaque " summa civis Romanus Cossutius nobiliter est archi-" tectatus."

There is abundant authority for attributing to Antiochus the glory of commencing this great work afresh.

—"Per idem tempus Antiochus Epiphanes, qui Athenis "Olympieum inchoavit." Vell. Paterc. 1. 10. Polybius says, that this Antiochus was fitter to be called Έπιμανής, than Ἐπιφανής; but that he surpassed all kings in the splendour of those public works which respected religion. "ἐν δὲ ταῖς πρὸς τὰς πόλεις θυσίαις, καὶ ταῖς πρὸς τοὺς "θεοὺς τιμαῖς, πάντας ὑπερέβαλε τοὺς βεβασιλευκότας" τοῦτο δ' ἄν τις τεκμήραιτο ἔκ τε τοῦ παρ' ᾿Αθηναίοις "᾿Ολυμπιείου, καὶ τῶν περὶ τὸν ἐν Δήλφ βωμὸν "ἀνδριάντων." lib. xxvi. ch. 10. This passage is translated almost verbatim by Livy. (xli. 20.) Strabo does not mention the name of the king who began this

second temple, probably because his name was so well known: but he says that he executed one half of the work. "καὶ αὐτὸ τὸ ᾿Ολύμπιον ὅπερ ἡμιτελὲς κατέλιπε "τελευτῶν ὁ ἀναθεὶς βασιλεύς." IX. 575. Pliny bears witness to the plunder committed by Sylla—" Sic est "inchoatum Athenis templum Jovis Olympii, ex quo "Sylla Capitolinis ædibus advexerat columnas." N. H. XXXVI. vi. 5.

It appears from Suetonius, that all the kings allied or tributary to Rome, in the reign of Augustus, agreed to unite in finishing this temple—"Reges amici atque " socii, et singuli in suo quisque regno, Cæsareas "urbes condiderunt; et cuncti simul ædem Jovis "Olympii. Athenis antiquitus inchoatam, perficere " communi sumptu destinaverunt, genioque eius dedi-" care." Octav. 60. Their intention, however, appears not to have been executed: and the glory of completing this magnificent work was reserved for Hadrian. "Ha-"drianus, ad orientem profectus per Athenas iter fecit, "atque opera que apud Athenienses ceperat dedicavit. " et Jovis Olympii ædem et aram sibi." Spartian. in Vit. Hadrian. And Xiphilinus says—" 'Αδριανός δέ τό " τε 'Ολύμπιου τὸ ἐν 'Αθήναις ἐν ῷ καὶ αὐτὸς ίδρυται. " ἐξεποίησε." Epit. Dion. Nicæi in Hadrian.\*

Near this temple were the old Odeium, and the fountain of Callirhoe. Pausanias says—" ἐς δὲ τὸ " ᾿Αθήνησιν εἰσελθοῦσιν φιδείον, ἄλλα τε καὶ Διόνυσος " κεῖται θέας ἄξιος' πλησίον δέ ἐστι κρήνη, καλοῦσι δὲ

<sup>\*</sup> The arch of Hadrian and temple of Jupiter are elaborately described in Stuart, vol. III. ch. 2 and 3; and Leake, p. 135—42.

" αὐτὴν Ἐννεάκρουνον, οὕτω κοσμηθείσαν ὑπὸ Πεισισ-" τράτου." 1. 14. Thucydides says—" ίδρυται δὲ καὶ " ἄλλα ἰερὰ ταύτη" (namely, in the southern district of Athens) " ἀρχαία, καὶ τῆ κρήνη τῶν τυράννων οὕτω " σκευασάντων Έννεακρούνω καλουμένη, τὸ δὲ πάλαι " φανερών τών πηγών οὐσών, Καλλιβρόη ώνομασμένη, " έκεινοί τε έγγυς ούση τὰ πλείστου ἄξια έγρωντο, και " νῦν ἔτι ἀπὸ τοῦ ἀργαίου πρό τε γαμικών καὶ ἐς ἄλλα " τῶν ἱερῶν νομίζεται τῷ ὕδατι χρῆσθαι" 11. 15. The fountain has now again recovered its more ancient name of 'Callirhoe.' It was the only fountain at Athens, the water of which was fit to drink; all the rest were impregnated with salt. "The fountain of "Callirhoe," says Dr. Wordsworth, "is said to have " been supplied by the Ilissus. The ducts, by which "its water was brought from the stream, probably " suggested its name, 'Evveákpouvos." p. 161.

The old Odeium must have stood on the line of street, leading from the Agora to the fountain Callirhoe, in such a way, that a triangle was represented by them and the temple of Jupiter Olympius. The Odeium must have contained a large open space, with benches in its circumference. It was originally used as a theatre. Hesychius says—" 'Ωιδείον. τόπος ἐν ῷ πρὶν τὸ θέατρον "κατασκευασθῆναι οἱ ῥαψφδοὶ καὶ οἱ κιθαρφδοὶ ἦγωνίζοντο." Forchhammer conjectures, with great probability, that the falling of the wooden benches in the Odeium led to the erection of the great Dionysiac theatre; the benches of the Odeium meanwhile being replaced by firmer ones. (p. 42.)

The thirty tyrants made such use of this Odeium, as shows it to have been of very considerable dimensions. They assembled in it their 3000 hoplites, together with a considerable body of horsemen; one half of the place being already occupied by the Lacedæmonian garrison. (Grote, Hist. Gr. ch. 65. vol. vIII. p. 364.) Xenophon 88.78-" τῆ δὲ ὑστεραία ἐς τὸ ஹιδεῖον παρεκάλεσαν (ες. " οί τριάκοντα) τοὺς ἐν τῷ καταλόγῳ ὁπλίτας καὶ τοὺς " ἄλλους ἱππέας." Hellen, II. IV. Q. "οί δὲ Λακωνικοί " Φρουροί εν τῷ ἡμίσει τοῦ 'Ωιδείου εξωπλισμένοι " noav." ibid. 10; and afterwards he save, ibid. 24-" έξεκάθευδον δε και οι ίππεις εν τῷ 'Ωιδείφ τούς τε " ἔππους καὶ τὰς ἀσπίδας ἔχουτες." Demosthenes, in his speech against Phormion, shows that the Odeium was also made use of as a public granary—" ἐν τοιούτω " καιρφ εν φ ύμων οί μεν εν τω άστει οἰκοῦντες διε-" μετρούντο τὰ ἄλφιτα ἐν τῷ 'Ωιδείω." p. 018. "The " vaults underneath the rows of seats," says Forchhammer, p. 43, "may have been very well adapted for the " reception of grain: and if the public stores had any-"thing to do with the maintenance decreed by a "judgment, upon a complaint of sustenance withheld. " such a complaint—a δίκη σίτου—would very naturally " be preferred in the Odeium."

From the speech of Demosthenes against Neæra, we learn, that one Stephanus had a supposed daughter named Phano; one Phrastor married this girl; but not agreeing with her, and discovering that she was not the daughter of Stephanus, he turned her out of his house. " $\partial \rho \gamma \iota \sigma \theta \epsilon i s$ "—says Demosthenes, p. 1362—" $\dot{\epsilon} \pi \dot{\epsilon}$ 

" τούτοις ἄπασι καὶ ὑβρίσθαι ἡγούμενος καὶ ἐξηπατῆσ" θαι, ἐκβάλλει τὴν ἄνθρωπον, ὡς ἐνίαυτον συνοικήσας
" αὐτῷ, κύουσαν, καὶ τὴν προῖκα οὐκ ἀποδίδωσι."

Before this, Stephanus sues him for the maintenance
for his daughter:—" λαχώντος δὲ τοῦ Στεφάνου αὐτῷ
" δίκην σίτου εἰς ' Ωιδεῖον, κατὰ τὸν νόμον, δς κελεύει,
" ἐὰν ἀποπέμπη τὴν γυναῖκα, ἀποδιδόναι τὴν προῖκα,
" ἐὰν δὲ μή, ἐπ' ἐννέ' ὀβολοῖς τοκοφορεῖν, καὶ σίτου
" εἰς ' Ωιδεῖον εἶναι δικάσασθαι ὑπὲρ τῆς γυναικὸς τῷ
" κυρίῳ." ibid. Pollux, VIII. 33, says—" τὰς δὲ ἐπὶ τῷ
" σίτῷ δίκας ἐν ' Ωιδείῳ ἐδίκαζον' σῖτος δέ ἐστιν αἰ
" ὀφειλόμεναι τροφαί." Aristophanes speaks of the
Odeium as a law-court—

οί μὲν ἡμῶν, οὖπερ Ἦρχων, οἱ δὲ παρὰ τοὺς ενδεκα, οἱ δ' ἐν ஹδείω καζουσ'. Vesp. 1108.

In the south-western corner of Athens stood the hill Museium, which Pausanias thus describes—" ἔστι δὲ " ἐντὸς τοῦ περιβόλου ἀρχαίου τὸ Μουσείου, ἀπ' ἀντικρὺ " τῆς ἀκροπολέως λόφος, ἔνθα Μουσαίου ἄδειν καὶ ἀπο- " θανόντα γήραι ταφῆναι λέγουσιν υστερον δὲ καὶ ." μνῆμα αὐτόθι ἀνδρὶ ῷκοδομήθη Σύρφ." 1. 25. This Syrian was called Philopappus. A great part of this monument still exists: it was erected in the reign of Trajan: drawings of it are given in Stuart, vol. III. ch. 5. Under one niche in this monument is the following inscription—

ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΣ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΟΣ ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ.

<sup>\*</sup> Mitchell, in a note on this passage, erroneously supposes that this man the Odeium of Pericles.

Under another is this-

### ΦΙΛΟΠΑΠΠΟΣ ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ.

This Philopappus was probably the grandson of the last king of Commagene, Antiochus IV. Stuart gives a valuable historical illustration of the monument; (in loc.)

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### THE HARBOURS OF ATHENS.

Strabo thus describes the Athenian ports—" ὑπὲρ δὲ " της ἀκτης ταύτης (sc. of the strait of Salamis) ὄρος " ἐστίν, ὁ καλεῖται Κορυδαλὸς, καὶ ὁ δῆμος οἱ Κορυδα-" λείς είθ ο Φώρων λιμήν και ή Ψυτταλία νησίον έρη-" μον, πετρώδες, ὅ τινες εἶπον λιμένα\* τοῦ Πειραιέως· " πλησίον δὲ καὶ ἡ 'Αταλάντη, ὁμώνυμος τῆ περὶ Εὔ-" βοιαν καὶ Λοκρούς καὶ ἄλλο νησίον ὅμοιον τῆ Ψυττα-" λία καὶ τοῦτο εἰθ' ὁ Πειραιεύς καὶ αὐτὸς ἐν τοῖς " δήμοις ταττόμενος, καὶ ἡ Μουνυχία λόφος δ' ἐστὶν ἡ " Μουνυχία, χερρονησίζων, και κοίλος και ύπόνομος " πολύ μέρος, φύσει τε καὶ ἐπίτηδες, ὥστ' οἰκήσεις δέ-" χεσθαι, στομίω δε μικρώ την είσοδον έχων. υποπίπ-" τουσι δ' αὐτῷ λιμένες τρείς. Τὸ μὲν οὖν παλαιὸν " έτετείχιστο καὶ συνώκιστο ή Μουνυγία παραπλησίως " ωσπερ ή των 'Ροδίων πόλις, προσειληφυία τω περι-" βόλω τὸν Πειραιᾶ καὶ τοὺς λιμένας πλήρεις νεωρίων, " έν οίς καὶ ή όπλοθήκη Φίλωνος ἔργον ἄξιόν τε ἡν " ναύσταθμον τετρακοσίαις + ναυσίν, ων οὐκ ελάττους

<sup>\*</sup> The word λιμένα is not intelligible here. Casaubon reads λήμην, the eye-sore, of the Peiræus: it might be so called, as rendering the entrance to the harbour dangerous. Pericles called Ægina 'the eve-' sore of the Peiræus,' for a very different reason.

† Meursius and others wish to read τριακοσίαιs.

" ἔστελλον Αθηναίοι. τῶ δὲ τείχει τούτφ συνήπται τὰ " καθειλκυσμένα ἐκ τοῦ ἄστεος σκέλη." IX. p. 573. Pausanias thus describes the same places—" ὁ δὲ Πει-" ραιεύς δημος μεν ην έκ παλαιού, πρότερον δέ, πρίν ή " Θεμιστοκλής 'Αθηναίοις ήρξεν, επίνειον οὐκ ήν Φαλη-" ρον δε, (hod. Phanari) ταύτη γαρ ελάχιστον ἀπέχει τῆς " πόλεως ή θάλασσα, τοῦτο σφίσιν ἐπίνειον ἢν. \* \* \* " Θεμιστοκλής δὲ ὡς ἦρξε (τοῖς τε γὰρ πλέουσιν ἐπιτη-" δειότερος ὁ Πειραιεύς εφαίνετό οἱ προκεῖσθαι) καὶ " λιμένας τρεῖς ἀνθ' ένὸς ἔχειν τοῦ Φαληροῦ τοῦτο σφί-" σιν επίνειον είναι κατεσκευάσατο, καὶ νεώς καὶ ές " έμε ήσαν οίκοι, και πρὸς τῶ μεγίστω λιμένι τάφος " Θεμιστοκλέους. φασί γάρ μεταμελήσαι των ές Θε-" μιστοκλέα 'Αθηναίοις, καὶ ώς οἱ προσήκοντες τὰ ὀστᾶ " κομίσαιεν έκ Μαγνησίας ανελόντες \* \* \* έστι δε καλ " ἄλλος 'Αθηναίοις ὁ μὲν ἐπὶ Μουνυγία (hod. Stratiotiki) " λιμήν, καὶ Μουνυχίας ναὸς 'Αρτέμιδος' ὁ δὲ ἐπὶ Φαλη-" ροῦ, καθὰ καὶ πρότερον εἴρηταί μοι, καὶ πρὸς αὐτῷ " Δήμητρος ίερου. Ενταῦθα καὶ Σκιράδος 'Αθηνας ναός " έστι, και Διὸς ἀπωτέρω. βωμοί τε θεῶν ὀνομαζομένων ' ἀγνώστων." 1. 1. (The reader will not fail to be reminded, by the expression in Pausanias, 'altars of the unknown gods,' of St. Paul's address to the Athenians. Acts xvii. v. 23.) The three ports, into which the Peiræus was divided were named,  $K \dot{a} \nu \theta a \rho o s$ , the innermost: 'Αφροδίσιον, or Πειραιεύς,\* the central and largest;

<sup>\*</sup> The Kdrθaρos is now merely a lagoon. The Peiræus proper is now called by the Italians 'Porto Leone,' from a colossal white Lion which stood on the beach, and was carried away to Venice by the Venetians, in 1687. It is called 'Port Drako,' by the Greeks, and 'Aslan Limani,' by the Turks—all three names being derived from the Lion. Drako, in modern Greek, signifies anything monstrous.

and Ζέα, the outer basin. Aristophanes says—" ἐν "Πειραιεῖ δήπου 'στὶ Κανθάρου λιμήν." Ρας. 145; on which verse a scholiast observes—" Ὁ Πειραιεὺς "λιμένας ἔχει τρεις πάντας κλειστούς. εἶς μὲν ὁ Καν-" θάρου λιμὴν, οὕτω καλούμενος ἀπό τινος ήρωος "Κανθάρου, ἐν ῷ τὰ νεώρια εἶτα τὸ 'Αφροδίσιον' εἶτα "κύκλω τοῦ λιμένος στοαὶ πέντε." Hesychius says—" Κανθάρου\* λιμήν' οὕτω καλεῖται ἐν Πειραιεῖ." Plutarch in his life of Phocion says—" μύστην δὲ λού-" οντα χοιρίδιον ἐν Κανθάρφ† λιμένι κῆτος συνέλαβε." ch. 28. Hesychius thus explains the word Ζέα—" ἡ "Εκάτη παρὰ 'Αθηναίοις' καὶ εἶς τῶν ἐν Πειραιεῖ "λιμένων, οὕτω καλούμενος ἀπὸ τοῦ καρποῦ τῆς ζείας. " ἔχει δὲ ὁ Πειραιεὺς λιμένας τρεῖς κλειστούς." Photius, too, in his Lexicon, says—" Ζέα λιμὴν 'Αθήνησιν."

Pausanias says, that the tomb of Themistocles was "by the main harbour;" and there can be no doubt that in his time a tomb was shown there, which was supposed to contain the bones of Themistocles. The tomb which is shown in modern days, as that of Themistocles, is on the shore, some little way to the west of Zea. The words of Thucydides, however, render it very doubtful whether the bones of Themistocles were ever brought to Attica; at all events, in the age of Thucydides, no public or known monument had been raised to the great conqueror of Salamis—" τὰ δὲ " ὀστᾶ" (viz. of Themistocles) " φασὶ κομισθῆναι αὐτοῦ " οἱ προσήκοντες οἶκαδε κελεύσαντος ἐκείνου καὶ τεθῆναι

<sup>\*</sup> Kuster reads Karthoov in the common editions it is Karthoor.

<sup>†</sup> This word is absurdly written καθαρφ in some editions.

" κρύφα 'Αθηναίων εν τη 'Αττική' οὐ γὰρ έξην θάπτειν " ώς επί προδοσία φεύγοντος." 1. 138.

The outer basin of the Peiræus took its name Zéa, says Col. Leake, "from being the port destined for the " reception of the ships which supplied Athens with " corn, and which navigated to the Black Sea, and other " distant regions: it was probably the exterior division " of the harbour, where these vessels, being the largest "and strongest which the Athenians possessed, might "find sufficient protection from the weather. " side of the entrance into the harbour of Peiræus " was the promontory Alcimus; on the other, Eëtionia. " περὶ τὸν λιμένα τοῦ Πειραιῶς ἀπὸ τοῦ κατὰ τὸν Αλ-" κιμου πρόκειταί τις οδου άγκων καλ κάμψαντι τοῦτου " έντὸς, ή τὸ ὑπεύδιον της θαλάττης, κρηπίς έστιν εὐ-" μεγέθης, και τὸ περί αὐτὸν βωμοειδές, τάφος τοῦ " Θεμιστοκλέους. Plutarch. Themist. ch. 32. " nia is described by Thucydides as a cape, which "sheltered the opening of port Peiræus from the outer " sea, and commanded the entrance into the harbour." Thucydides has a most important passage p. 314-15. on the subject. He is describing the efforts made by the Four Hundred to retain their power: he says-" ώκοδόμουν δὲ ἔτι προθυμότερον τὸ ἐν τῆ Ἡετιωνία " τείχος ήν δε τοῦ τείχους ή γνώμη αυτη, ώς έφη Θηρα-" μένης καὶ οἱ μετ' αὐτοῦ, οὐχ ἵνα τοὺς ἐν Σάμω, ἢν βία " ἐπιπλέωσι, μὴ δέξωνται ἐς τὸν Πειραια, ἀλλ' ἵνα τοὺς " πολεμίους μάλλον, ὅταν βούλωνται, καὶ ναυσὶ καὶ " πεζώ δέξωνται. χηλή γάρ έστι τοῦ Πειραιώς ή Ήετι-" ωνία, και παρ' αὐτην εὐθὺς ὁ ἔσπλους ἔστιν ἐτειγί" ζετο οὖν οὕτω ξὺν τῷ πρότερον πρὸς ἤπειρον ὑπάρ" χοντι τείχει, ὥστε καθεζομένων ἐς αὐτὸ ἀνθρώπων
" ὀλίγων ἄρχειν τοῦ ἔσπλου ἐπ' αὐτὸν γὰρ τὸν ἐπὶ τῷ
" στόματι τοῦ λιμένος, στενοῦ ὅντος, τὸν ἔτερον πύργον
" ἐτελεύτα τό τε παλαιὸν τὸ πρὸς ἤπειρον καὶ τὸ ἐντὸς
" τὸ καινὸν τεῖχος, τειχιζόμενον πρὸς θάλασσαν." VIII.
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This passage presents us with a perfect picture of the Greek mode of fortifying a harbour; viz. by running out two moles  $(\chi \tilde{\eta} \lambda a \iota)$  till they so nearly met, as to leave room only for a few triremes abreast to enter the harbour. Harbours thus protected, and fortified by a perfect line of fortification, were called  $\kappa \lambda \epsilon \iota \sigma \tau o \iota$ . Col. Leake's remarks on this subject are most valuable. (Note, p. 311.)

The three demi, Peiræus, Munychia, and Phalerum, united, formed a larger town than the ǎorv of Athens itself. Pausanias (1. 1) has given an account of many buildings and works of art contained in the three; of these, scarcely a vestige remains, or a position that can be plausibly conjectured. The baths, porticoes, theatres, statues, temples, which once adorned the famous Peiræus, have completely disappeared.

<sup>&</sup>quot;ETIAM PERIERE RUINÆ!"

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and Ζέα, the outer basin. Aristophanes says—" ἐν "Πειραιεῖ δήπου 'στὶ Κανθάρου λιμήν." Ρας. 145; on which verse a scholiast observes—" Ὁ Πειραιεὺς "λιμένας ἔχει τρεις πάντας κλειστούς. εἶς μὲν ὁ Καν-" θάρου λιμὴν, οὕτω καλούμενος ἀπό τινος ήρωος "Κανθάρου, ἐν ῷ τὰ νεώρια: εἶτα τὸ `Αφροδίσιον' εἶτα "κύκλω τοῦ λιμένος στοαὶ πέντε." Hesychius says—" Κανθάρου\* λιμήν' οὕτω καλεῖται ἐν Πειραιεῖ." Plutarch in his life of Phocion says—" μύστην δὲ λού-" οντα χοιρίδιον ἐν Κανθάρφ† λιμένι κῆτος συνέλαβε." ch. 28. Hesychius thus explains the word Zέα—" ἡ " Ἑκάτη παρὰ `Αθηναίοις' καὶ εἶς τῶν ἐν Πειραιεῖ "λιμένων, οὕτω καλούμενος ἀπὸ τοῦ καρποῦ τῆς ζείας. " ἔχει δὲ ὁ Πειραιεὺς λιμένας τρεῖς κλειστούς." Photius, too, in his Lexicon, says—" Ζέα λιμὴν 'Αθήνησιν."

Pausanias says, that the tomb of Themistocles was "by the main harbour;" and there can be no doubt that in his time a tomb was shown there, which was supposed to contain the bones of Themistocles. The tomb which is shown in modern days, as that of Themistocles, is on the shore, some little way to the west of Zea. The words of Thucydides, however, render it very doubtful whether the bones of Themistocles were ever brought to Attica; at all events, in the age of Thucydides, no public or known monument had been raised to the great conqueror of Salamis—" τὰ δὲ " ὀστᾶ" (viz. of Themistocles) " φασὶ κομισθήναι αὐτοῦ " οἱ προσήκοντες οἶκαδε κελεύσαντος ἐκείνου καὶ τεθήναι

Kuster reads Κανθάρου in the common editions it is Κανθάρων.

<sup>†</sup> This word is absurdly written καθαρφ in some editions.

" κρύφα 'Αθηναίων εν τῆ 'Αττικῆ' οὐ γὰρ ἔξην θάπτειν " ὡς ἐπὶ προδοσία φεύγοντος." 1. 138.

The outer basin of the Peiræus took its name Zéa, says Col. Leake, "from being the port destined for the " reception of the ships which supplied Athens with "corn, and which navigated to the Black Sea, and other " distant regions: it was probably the exterior division " of the harbour, where these vessels, being the largest " and strongest which the Athenians possessed, might "find sufficient protection from the weather. On one "side of the entrance into the harbour of Peiræus " was the promontory Alcimus; on the other, Eëtionia. " περὶ τὸν λιμένα τοῦ Πειραιῶς ἀπὸ τοῦ κατὰ τὸν "Αλ-" κιμου πρόκειταί τις οίου αγκώυ" και κάμψαντι τοῦτου " έντος, ή το υπεύδιον της θαλάττης, κρηπίς έστιν εὐ-" μεγέθης, και τὸ περι αὐτὸν βωμοειδές, τάφος τοῦ " Θεμιστοκλέους. Plutarch. Themist. ch. 32. "nia is described by Thucydides as a cape, which "sheltered the opening of port Peiræus from the outer " sea, and commanded the entrance into the harbour." p. 314-15. Thucydides has a most important passage on the subject. He is describing the efforts made by the Four Hundred to retain their power: he says-" ωκοδόμουν δε έτι προθυμότερον τὸ ἐν τῆ 'Ηετιωνία " τείχος ην δε τοῦ τείχους ή γνώμη αῦτη, ὡς ἔφη Θηρα-" μένης καὶ οἱ μετ' αὐτοῦ, οὐχ ἵνα τοὺς ἐν Σάμφ, ἢν βία " ἐπιπλέωσι, μὴ δέξωνται ἐς τὸν Πειραια, ἀλλ' ἵνα τοὺς " πολεμίους μαλλον, όταν βούλωνται, και ναυσι και " πεζώ δέξωνται. χηλή γάρ έστι τοῦ Πειραιώς ή Ήτι-" ωνία, καὶ παρ' αὐτὴν εὐθὺς ὁ ἔσπλους ἔστιν' ἐτειχί" ζετο οὖν οὅτω ξὺν τῷ πρότερον πρὸς ἤπειρον ὑπάρ" χοντι τείχει, ὥστε καθεζομένων ἐς αὐτὸ ἀνθρώπων
" ὀλίγων ἄρχειν τοῦ ἔσπλου ἐπ' αὐτὸν γὰρ τὸν ἐπὶ τῷ
" στόματι τοῦ λιμένος, στενοῦ ὅντος, τὸν ἔτερον πύργον
" ἐτελεύτα τό τε παλαιὸν τὸ πρὸς ἤπειρον καὶ τὸ ἐντὸς
" τὸ καινὸν τεῖχος, τειχιζόμενον πρὸς θάλασσαν." VIII.
90.

This passage presents us with a perfect picture of the Greek mode of fortifying a harbour; viz. by running out two moles  $(\chi \hat{\eta} \lambda a \iota)$  till they so nearly met, as to leave room only for a few triremes abreast to enter the harbour. Harbours thus protected, and fortified by a perfect line of fortification, were called  $\kappa \lambda \epsilon \iota \sigma \tau o \ell$ . Col. Leake's remarks on this subject are most valuable. (Note, p, 311.)

The three demi, Peiræus, Munychia, and Phalerum, united, formed a larger town than the aoru of Athens itself. Pausanias (1.1) has given an account of many buildings and works of art contained in the three; of these, scarcely a vestige remains, or a position that can be plausibly conjectured. The baths, porticoes, theatres, statues, temples, which once adorned the famous Peiræus, have completely disappeared.

"ETIAM PERIERE RUINE!"

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